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Currency, Coinage and Legal Tender.

Expropriation and other matters affecting ex-enemy properties.

Grants to the States.

Insurance.

Maternity Allowances.

Pensions and Retiring Allowances.

Pensions, Invalid and Old-age.

Printing, Government.

Public Moneys, including Loans and Sinking Fund.

Taxation, other than duties of Customs and of Excise.

War Gratuities.

Workmen's Compensation.

The Attorney-General's Department—

Administration of matters relating to the Judiciary and to Courts.

Advising Commonwealth Departments on matters of law.

Arbitration in relation to employment in the Commonwealth Public Service.

Commonwealth Departmental Activities—*continued.*

Bankruptcy.

Bills of Exchange and Promissory Notes.

Conciliation and Arbitration for the prevention and settlement of industrial disputes extending beyond the limits of any one State.

Copyright.

Designs.

Drafting and Revision of Regulations.

Litigation and legal matters in which the Commonwealth or an authority of the Commonwealth is a party.

Parliamentary Drafting.

Patents.

Police (Territory for the Seat of Government) and Peace Officers.

Recognition throughout the Commonwealth and its Territories of the Laws, Records and Judicial Proceedings of the States and the Territories.

Reporting of proceedings of Commonwealth tribunals.

Service and Execution throughout the Commonwealth of State Process and Judgments.

Statutes and Statutory Rules, Preparation of Volume of.

Territories—Administration of Certain Ordinances of the Territory for the Seat of Government.

Trade Marks.

The Department of Industry—
Industrial Matters.

The Department of Defence—
Civil Aviation.

Naval, Military and Air Defence and cognate matters.

The Postmaster-General's Department—

Postal, Telegraphic and Telephonic Services.

Wireless Telegraphy and Telephony.

Commonwealth Departmental Activities—continued.**The Department of Trade and Customs—**

- Bounties.
- Customs.
- Excise.
- Film Censorship.
- Fisheries (other than Pearl Shell or Trepang) in Australian waters beyond Territorial limits.
- Restriction of Imports and Exports.
- Sugar Control.
- Tariff Board.

The Department of the Interior—

- Astronomy.
- Conveyance of Members of Parliament and others.
- Co-ordination of Australian Transport Services
- Elections and Franchise.
- Emigration of children and aboriginals.
- Forestry.
- Geodesy (International Map of the World and 129th Meridian).
- Immigration.
- Indentured coloured labour.
- Lands and Surveys.
- Literary Fund, Commonwealth.
- Meteorology.
- Naturalization.
- Northern Territory.
- Oil Investigation and Prospecting (Encouragement of).
- Passports.
- Pearl Shelling and Trepang Fisheries in Australian waters beyond Territorial limits.
- Properties (a) transferred, (b) acquired, (c) rented.
- Prospecting for precious metals (Assistance for).
- Public Works and Services.
- Railways.
- Rivers, Roads and Bridges.

Commonwealth Departmental Activities—*continued.*

Seat of Government.

Solar Observatory.

War Memorial, Commonwealth.

The Department of Commerce—

Commerce Act—

Inspection, grading, packing and marketing of Australian exports.

Marine and Shipping—

Lighthouses, light ships, beacons and buoys.

Navigation and Shipping.

Oversea Shipping Freights.

Primary Industries—

Australian Agricultural Council.

Financial assistance to primary producers—

Monetary grants for specified commodities.

Fertilizer subsidies.

Advances for purchase of wire and wire netting.

Organization of, including Statutory Export Control Boards and voluntary organizations.

Publicity and Advertising—

Australian National Travel Association.

Production of cinematograph films.

Representation on Empire and International Exhibitions.

Trade publicity and advertising in the United Kingdom and other oversea countries.

Trade Agreements—

Administration of the export aspects of agreements.

Collaboration with other Departments in negotiations.

Trade Commissioner Services in Empire and Foreign Countries.

Commonwealth Departmental Activities—continued.**The Department of Health—**

Cancer campaign.

District Health Laboratories at Bendigo, Lismore, Toowoomba, Townsville, Rockhampton, Cairns, Darwin, Kalgoorlie, Port Pirie and Launceston.

Federal Health Council.

Institute of Anatomy.

International health relationships.

Maternal Welfare.

Nuffield Trust for Crippled Children.

Quarantine.

Quarantine, Animal.

Quarantine, Plant.

School of Public Health and Tropical Medicine.

Serum Laboratories, Commonwealth.

The Department of Repatriation—

General Repatriation, including employment, grants in aid, vocations, training and children's education.

Medical Services, including reciprocal medical treatment for soldiers of the Imperial and Dominion Governments, hospitals and hostels.

War Pensions.

War Pensions Assessment Appeal Tribunals.

War Pensions Entitlement Appeal Tribunal.

PRINCIPAL COMMONWEALTH OFFICIALS :

(Address and Telephone Number of Principal Offices given in brackets.)

Air Board (see Defence Department).

Analyst (Flinders-lane, rear of Customs House, Melbourne, Central 1071): C. R. PECK, A.A.C.I.

Anatomy, Australian Institute of (Canberra, 561), Director, Sir W. Colin MacKenzie, K.B., M.D., F.R.C.S., F.R.S.E.

Arbitration, C'wealth Court of Conciliation and (468 Lonsdale-st., Melbourne, Central 5176, 6005); See page 15.

Arbitrator, Public Service (42 Jolimont-rd., Jolimont, Victoria, J.3882): J. C. Westhoven.

Attorney-General's Department (West Block, Canberra, 531): G. S. Knowles, C.B.E., M.A., LL.M., Solicitor-General, Secretary and Parliamentary Draftsman; M. C. Boniwell, LL.B., Assistant Secretary and Assistant Parliamentary Draftsman; J. G. B. Castieau, LL.B., Second Assistant Secretary and Second Assistant Parliamentary Draftsman.

Auditor-General (C'wealth Bank Bdg., 367 Collins-street, Melbourne, Central 9977): C. J. Cerutti, C.M.G.

Australian Loan Council (Dept. of the Treasury, West Block, Canberra, 531): Chairman, The Treasurer of the Commonwealth; Secretary, S. G. McFarlane, C.M.G., M.B.E.

Bankruptcy, Inspector-General in (High Court Buildings, Law Courts'-place, Melbourne, F.5453): W. F. Merrell.

Book Censorship Board (Dept. of Trade and Customs) (East Block, Canberra, 551): Sir Robert R. Garran, K.C.M.G., M.A.; Dr. L. H. Allen, M.A., Ph.D.; Prof. J. M. Haydon, M.A.

Principal Commonwealth Officials—continued.

Broadcasting Commission, Australian (Aeolian Hall, Pitt-street, Sydney, M.6991): W. J. Cleary, Chairman (retires 3.7.37); H. Brookes, Vice-Chairman (retires 25.5.36); Hon. R. B. Orchard, C.B.E. (retires 25.5.38); Mrs. M. R. Couchman (retires 25.5.38); J. W. Kitto, O.B.E., (retires 25.5.38).

Canned Fruits Control Board (419 Collins-st., Melbourne, Central 8517): Chairman, Col. Sir Charles E. Merrett, Kt., C.B.E., V.D.; Secretary, W. J. Adams.

Commerce, Department of (East Block, Canberra, 551; Melbourne Office, 419 Collins-street, Central 2773; Sydney Office, Commonwealth Bank Building, Phone B.W.2091; Brisbane Office, Q.T.C. Building, Queen-st., Phone B.9517.); J. F. Murphy, Secretary; H. Thomson, Assistant Secretary.

Commonwealth Bank of Australia (Head Office, cr. Martin-place and Pitt-st., Sydney, B.0355. Melbourne Office, 367 Collins-st., Central 4952. Note Printing Branch, Victoria-pde., Fitzroy, Victoria, J.1196): Governor: Sir Ernest Riddle. Board of Directors: Sir Claude Reading, K.C.M.G. (a), Chairman; A. F. Bell, C.M.G. (b); R. S. Drummond (c); M. B. Duffy (d); Peter Tait (e); Prof. L. F. Giblin (f); H. J. Sheehan, C.B.E. (Secretary to the Treasury) (g); Sir Ernest Riddle (Governor) (g).

Term expires.—(a) 13.1.39, (b) 10.10.37, (c) 10.10.41, (d) 12.9.37, (e) 6.2.41, (f) 23.10.42, (g) *Ex-officio* members.

Commonwealth Employees' Compensation (Dept. of the Treasury, West Block, Canberra 531): Commissioner, the Secretary to the Treasury; Delegate of the Commissioner, J. T. Heather-shaw, C.B.E.

Principal Commonwealth Officials—*continued.*

Commonwealth Grants Commission (581 Bourke-st., Melbourne, F.6710): Chairman: Hon. F. W. Eggleston; Professor L. F. Giblin, D.S.O., M.C., M.A.; J. W. Sandford.

Crown Solicitor (West Block, Canberra, 531): W. H. Sharwood, I.S.O.

Customs, Department of Trade and (East Block, Canberra, 551): Comptroller-General, E. Abbott, C.B.E.; Assistant Comptroller-General (Administrative), H. F. Morris; Assistant Comptroller-General (Tariff), A. C. Moore; *Collectors*: N.S.W., G. F. A. Mitchell; Vic., M. B. Synan; Q'land, R. B. Curd; S.A., J. J. Kennedy; W.A., H. St. G. Bird; Tas., E. A. J. Benjafield.

Dairy Produce Control Board (528 Collins-st., Melbourne, Central 1576): Chairman, T. F. Plunkett; Secretary, A. T. Owens.

Defence Department (Victoria Barracks, St. Kilda-rd., Melbourne, Central 4780): *Secretary*, M. L. Shepherd, C.M.G., I.S.O.; *Assistant Secretary*, M. M. Maguire, O.B.E., I.S.O. *Naval Board*: President, Minister for Defence; 1st Naval Member, Vice Admiral Sir G. F. Hyde, K.C.B., C.V.O., C.B.E.; 2nd Naval Member, Captain P. E. Phillips, D.S.O., R.N.; Finance and Civil Member, Col. T. J. Thomas, O.B.E. *Rear-Admiral Commanding Australian Squadron*, Rear-Admiral W. T. R. Ford. *Military Board*: Chief of General Staff and 1st Military Member, Major-General J. D. Lavarack, C.M.G., D.S.O.; Adjutant-General, Major-General Sir Carl Jess, C.M.G., C.B.E., D.S.O.; Quartermaster-General, Brig.-General O. F. Phillips, C.M.G., D.S.O.; Finance Member, Lieut.-Col. T. W. Jolliffe, C.M.G. *Inspector-General of the Military Forces* (Vacant). *Air Board*: Chief of the Air Staff, Air Vice Marshal R. Williams, C.B., C.B.E.,

Principal Commonwealth Officials—continued.

D.S.O.; Air Member for Personnel, Air Commodore S. J. Goble, C.B.E., D.S.O., D.S.C.; Air Member for Supply, Group Captain A. T. Cole, M.C., D.F.C.; Finance Member, Col. T. J. Thomas, O.B.E. *Controller of Civil Aviation*: Capt. E. C. Johnston, D.F.C. *Defence Committee*: Chief of Naval Staff, Vice-Admiral Sir G. F. Hyde, K.C.B., C.V.O., C.B.E.; Chief of the General Staff, Major-General J. D. Lavarack, C.M.G., D.S.O.; Chief of Air Staff, Air Vice-Marshal R. Williams, C.B., C.B.E., D.S.O.; Finance Secretary, Col. T. J. Thomas, O.B.E.; Secretary, F. G. Shedden, O.B.E.

Dried Fruits Control Board (100 Queen-street, Melbourne, Central 1312): Chairman, W. C. F. Thomas, C.B.E.; Secretary, R. A. Marx.

Electoral Office (Commonwealth), *Chief Electoral Officer* (City, Canberra, 981): V. F. Turner.

Executive Council, Federal (West Block, Canberra): Secretary, G. A. Whitlam, O.B.E.

Expropriated Property, Custodian of, Public Trustee, and Controller of Clearing Office (Enemy Debts) (Department of the Treasury, West Block, Canberra, 531): W. C. Thomas, B.Com., L.I.C.A.

Film Censorship (Watson House, Bligh-street, Sydney, B.1517): Chief Censor, W. C. O'Reilly, B.A.; Appeal Censor, Brig.-Gen. I. G. Mackay, C.M.G., D.S.O., V.D., B.A.

Forests, Inspector-General of (C'wealth Forestry Bureau, Westridge, Canberra, 766): C. E. Lane-Poole, Dip.For. Nancy.

Geological Adviser (City, Canberra 982): W. G. Woolnough, D.Sc., F.G.S.

Principal Commonwealth Officials—continued.

Health, Department of (City, Canberra, 596): Director-General of Health, Dr. J. H. L. Cumpston, C.M.G., M.D., D.P.H.: *Commonwealth Serum Laboratories* (Royal Park, Melbourne, N.2.); Director, F. G. Morgan, M.B., B.S.: *School of Public Health and Tropical Medicine* (University of Sydney, Sydney): Director, Professor Harvey Sutton, O.B.E., M.D., B.Sc., D.P.H.

High Court of Australia (High Court Offices, Law Courts'-place, Melbourne, Central 5175). (See page 15.)

Historic Memorials Committee (Canberra): Chairman, The Prime Minister of the Commonwealth.

Industrial Registrar (468 Lonsdale-street, Melbourne, Central 5176, 6005). (See page 15.)

Interior, Dept. of the (Acton, Canberra, 511): Secretary, H. C. Brown, C.B.E.; Assistant Secretary, General Administration, J. A. Carrodus; Surveyor-General and Chief Property Officer, A. Percival, L.S., C.E., M.V.I.E.; Assistant Secretary, Works and Services, P. A. Gourgaud; Assistant Secretary, Civic Branch, C. S. Daley, O.B.E., B.A.; *Works Directors*: N.S.W., C. A. Hay; Vic., H. J. Mackennal, F.R.V.I.A.; Q'land., J. Orwin; S.A., H. M. Rolland, O.B.E., F.R.V.I.A.; W.A., G. S. Cook, M.I.A.

Investigation Branch (East Block, Canberra, B.098): Director, H. E. Jones, O.B.E.

Land Tax Valuation Board: (Commonwealth Offices, Treasury Gardens, Melbourne): W. J. Lambert (Chairman).

Literary Fund, Commonwealth (Dept. of the Interior, Canberra): Committee, S. Talbot Smith, M.A., LL.B., Chairman; Prof. R. S. Wallace, M.A., LL.D.; Prof. W. A. Osborne, M.B., B.Ch., D.Sc.; Secretary, J. O'Callaghan.

Principal Commonwealth Officials—continued.

Marine Branch (35 Wills-street, Melbourne, F.4191); Secretary, L. F. East, I.S.O.; Director of Navigation, Captain J. K. Davis; Director of Lighthouses and Engineer in Chief, M. W. Mehaffey, B.E., A.M.I.C.E.

Meteorologist, Commonwealth (cr. Drummond and Victoria-streets, Carlton, Victoria, F.2676); W. S. Watt.

Munitions Supply Board (Victoria Barracks, St. Kilda-road, Melbourne, Central 4780): A. E. Leighton, F.I.C. (Controller-General); Col. T. J. Thomas, O.B.E.; M. M. Maguire, O.B.E., I.S.O.

Naval Board (see Defence Department).

New Guinea Trade Agent (C'wealth. Bank Buildings, Martin-place, Sydney): H. S. Richards (Accountant, C'wealth Sub-Treasury, Sydney).

Parliamentary Staff, Federal (Commonwealth Parliament). (See page 15.)

Patents, Commissioner of, Registrar of Trade Marks, Registrar of Designs and Registrar of Copyrights (Acton, Canberra, 571): B. Wallach, B.E.

Pensions, Invalid and Old-age, and Maternity Allowances—Commissioner (Dept. of the Treasury, West Block, Canberra, 531): J. T. Heathershaw, C.B.E.; *Assistant Commissioner*, A. Metford; *Deputy Commissioners*: N.S.W., H. Theggie; Vic., W. McPherson; Qld., T. A. Maguire; S.A., M. D. Mears; W.A., O. G. Dutton; Tas., H. N. Warren.

Phosphate Commission, British (Henty House, Lt. Collins-street, Melbourne, Central 10294): C. McPherson, C.B.E. (Australia), A. S. Gaye, (United Kingdom), A. F. Ellis (New Zealand).

Principal Commonwealth Officials—continued.

Postmaster-General's Department (C'wealth Offices, Treasury Gardens, Melbourne, Central 5551): Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs, H. P. Brown, C.M.G., M.B.E., M.I.E.E.; Deputy Directors: N.S.W., J. S. Duncan; Vic., R. Lawson; Q'land., A. B. Corbett; S.A., P. Kennedy; W.A., S. R. H. Roberts; Tas., J. E. Monfries.

Prime Minister's Department and External Affairs Department (West Block, Canberra, 531): Secretary, J. H. Starling, C.M.G., O.B.E.; Assistant Secretary, F. Strahan, C.V.O., C.B.E., B.A., LL.B.; (External Affairs) Major W. R. Hodgson, C.B.E.

Printer, Government (Kingston, Canberra, B.040): L. F. Johnston.

Public Service Board (City, Canberra, 592): *Chairman*: W. J. Clemens, C.M.G., I.S.O.; *Assistant Commissioner*: F. G. Thorpe; *Secretary*: H. A. Earl; *State Inspectors*: N.S.W. H. C. Elvins; Vic., (Vacant); Q'land., R. Anthony; S.A., G. E. Willson; W.A., C. H. Brown; Tas. (Deputy), H. N. Warren.

Railways, C'wealth (623 Collins-street, Melbourne, Central 4586): Commissioner, G. A. Gahan; Secretary, E. Simms.

Repatriation Commission (C'wealth Offices, 315 Post Office-place, Melbourne, Central 8464): N. R. Mighell (Chairman); J. Webster; F. H. Rowe; Secretary, Capt. Cyril Smith; *Deputy Commissioners*: N.S.W., Major J. E. Barrett; Vic., J. C. McPhee; Q'land., B. Wilkinson;

Principal Commonwealth Officials—continued.

S.A., Capt. J. W. Bell; W.A., C. Taylor; Tas., H. C. Laussen; *War Pensions Assessment Appeal Tribunals*: No. 1—Chairman (vacant) and two doctors; No. 2—H. H. Howard, LL.B. (Chairman) and two *War Pensions Entitlement Appeal Tribunals*: No. 1—Lieut-Col. A. W. Ralston, C.M.G., D.S.O., V.D., B.A., LL.B. (Chairman), E. N. Birks, A. E. Jackson; No. 2—C. C. Mason (Chairman), Lieut.-Col. E. J. Dibdin, D.S.O., V.D., P. E. Deane, C.M.G.

Research, Scientific and Industrial, Council for (314 Albert-st., East Melbourne, J.4171)—*Executive Committee*: Sir G. A. Julius, Kt., B.Sc., B.E., Chairman; Sir David Rivett, K.C.M.G., M.A., D.Sc., Deputy Chairman and Chief Executive Officer; Prof. A. E. V. Richardson, M.A., D.Sc.; *Chairman of State Committees*: N.S.W., Prof. R. D. Watt, M.A., B.Sc.; Vic., W. R. Grimwade, C.B.E., B.Sc.; Q'land., Prof. H. C. Richards, D.Sc.; S.A., Sir Walter J. Young, K.B.E.; W.A., E. H. B. Lefroy; Tas., P. E. Keam. *Co-opted Members*: G. S. Colman; Prof. E. J. Goddard, B.A., D.Sc.; Sir David Masson, K.B.E., F.R.S., &c., Prof. H. A. Woodruff, M.R.C.V.S., &c.; *Secretary*: G. Lightfoot, M.A.; *Chiefs of Divisions*: Plant Industry, B. T. Dickson, B.Sc., B.A., Ph.D.; Economic Entomology, A. J. Nicholson, D.Sc. (Acting); Animal Nutrition and Animal Health, L. B. Bull, D.V.Sc.; Soils, Prof. J. A. Prescott, M.Sc.; Forests Products, I. H. Boas, M.Sc.

River Murray Commission (Dept. of the Interior, Acton, Canberra): Members, The Hon. the Minister for the Interior (President); T. Hill, O.B.E., M.V.I.E., M.I.E. Aust. (Deputy Commonwealth Commissioner); Frank H. Brewster;

Principal Commonwealth Officials—continued.

R. H. Horsfield, M.Inst. C.E., M.I.E. Aust.;
J. H. O. Eaton, I.S.O., M.Inst.C.E., M.I.E. Aust.;
Secretary, D. P. Israel.

Solar Observatory (Mount Stromlo, Canberra, 731,
740): Officer-in-Charge, W. B. Rimmer, M.Sc.,
B.E., D.I.C., A.M.I.C.E.

Statistician, C'wealth (West Block, Canberra, 581)
E. T. McPhee; Economist, R. Wilson, B.Com.,
D.Phil., Ph.D.; Deputy Statistician (Tas.), H. J.
Exley, M.A., F.S.S.

Stores Supply and Tender Board (G.P.O. Buildings,
Spencer-street, Melbourne, Central 9470):
Chief Inspector, Stores and Transport, T. H.
Cameron.

Superannuation Board (City, Canberra, B.173):
P. Rees (Chairman); B. Latham, A.I.A.;
Member to be elected.

Tariff Board (a) (Commonwealth Offices, Treasury
Gardens, Melbourne, Central 5551): H.
McConaghy, C.B.E. (Chairman); H. E. Guy;
W. S. Kelly; W. J. Rose; Secretary, J. J.
Barry.

Taxation Office: Commissioner, R. Ewing, C.M.G.
(Administrative Section, West Block, Canberra,
531); Second Commissioner, H. B. Templeton
(Post Office Bdgs., cr. Elizabeth and Bourke
streets, Melbourne, Central 9370); Deputy Com-
missioners: Administrative, H. H. Trebilco;
Sales Tax, R. R. Gibson; Central, J. Adams;
N.S.W., L. S. Jackson; Q'land, A. D. B.
Rowley; S.A., M. D. Mears; W.A., E. A. Black;
Tas., P. C. Douglas; N. Terr., T. C. H. Powell.

(a) Appointed to 20.3.38.

Principal Commonwealth Officials—*continued.*

Taxation Board of Review (C'wealth Bank Building, Pitt-street, Sydney): T. S. Hulme (Chairman); R. M. Lightband; J. P. Hannan, LL.B.

Treasury (West Block, Canberra, 531): Secretary, H. J. Sheehan, C.B.E.; Assistant Secretary, Administrative, S. G. McFarlane, C.M.G., M.B.E.; Assistant Secretary, Pensions, &c., J. T. Heathershaw, C.B.E.; Assistant Secretary, Finance, A. C. Joyce. *Sub-Treasuries—Accountants*: New South Wales, H. S. Richards; Victoria, W. T. Harris; Queensland, T. R. Evans; South Australia, J. J. Kitson; Western Australia, R. G. Friel; Tasmania, P. C. Douglas.

War Memorial (Australian) Director (Exhibition Blds., Melbourne, F.2598): J. L. Treloar, O.B.E.

War Pensions Appeal Tribunals (See Repatriation).

War Service Homes Commission (315 Post Office-place, Melbourne, Central 3271): Commissioner, C. W. Peterson; Deputy Commissioners: N.S.W., H. H. Richardson; Q'land., C. O. B. Vance; Vic., E. J. Slater; S.A., R. G. Hutson; Tas., A. L. Smale; W.A., A. J. Reid., Chairman, Workers' Homes Board.

Wine Overseas Marketing Board (Eagle Chambers, 7 Pirie-street, Adelaide, Central 6420.): Chairman, H. Kay; Secretary, H. J. Finnis.

Works Directors (See Department of the Interior).

GOVERNMENTS.(a)
NEW SOUTH WALES.

GOVERNOR :

HIS EXCELLENCY BRIGADIER-GENERAL
 THE HON. SIR ALEXANDER GORE
 ARKWRIGHT HORE-RUTHVEN, V.C.,
 K.C.M.G., C.B., D.S.O.

MINISTRY (16th May, 1932) :

Premier and Colonial Treasurer :

HON. B. S. B. STEVENS.

Deputy Premier and Minister for Transport :

LIEUT.-COL. THE HON. M. F. BRUXNER, D.S.O.

*Attorney-General and Vice-President of the Executive
 Council :*

HON. H. E. MANNING, K.C., M.L.C.

Secretary for Lands :

HON. E. A. BUTTENSCHAW.

Colonial Secretary :

CAPT. THE HON. F. A. CHAFFEY.

Minister for Education :

HON. D. H. DRUMMOND.

Minister for Labour and Industry :

HON. J. M. DUNNINGHAM.

Minister for Agriculture :

HON. H. MAIN.

(a) Dates of swearing in of Ministries are given
 in parentheses.

GOVERNMENT—NEW SOUTH WALES—contd.*Assistant Minister in the Legislative Council :*

HON. J. RYAN, M.L.C.

*Minister for Local Government and Secretary for
Public Works :*

HON. E. S. SPOONER.

Secretary for Mines and Minister for Forests :

HON. R. S. VINCENT.

Minister of Justice :

HON. I. O. MARTIN.

Minister for Health :

HON. H. P. FITZSIMONS.

Minister for Social Services :

HON. H. M. HAWKINS, M.L.C.

Assistant Minister without portfolio :

MAJOR THE HON. J. B. SHAND, V.D.

GOVERNMENT—VICTORIA.**GOVERNOR :**HIS EXCELLENCY CAPTAIN THE RT. HON.
WILLIAM CHARLES ARCEDECKNE
BARON HUNTINGFIELD, K.C.M.G.

MINISTRY (2nd April, 1935) :*Premier and Treasurer :*

HON. A. A. DUNSTAN.

GOVERNMENT—VICTORIA—continued.

*Chief Secretary and Minister of Labour :*BRIGADIER THE HON. M. W. J. BOURCHIER, C.M.G.,
D.S.O., V.D.*Minister of Agriculture, Minister of Mines, and a
Vice-President of the Board of Land and Works :*

HON. E. J. HOGAN.

*President of the Board of Land and Works, Com-
missioner of Crown Lands and Survey, and
Minister of Forests :*

HON. A. E. LIND.

*Minister of Transport, Attorney-General, Solicitor-
General, and a Vice-President of the Board of
Land and Works :*

HON. A. L. BUSSAU.

*Minister of Water Supply, and Minister-in-Charge
of Electrical Undertakings :*

HON. F. E. OLD.

*Minister of Public Instruction and Minister of Public
Health :*

HON. J. R. HARRIS, M.L.C.

*Commissioner of Public Works, Minister-in-Charge
of Immigration, and a Vice-President of the
Board of Land and Works :*

HON. G. L. GOUDIE, M.L.C.

Ministers without Portfolio :

HON. G. J. TUCKETT, M.L.C.

HON. H. PYE, M.L.C.

HON. H. S. BAILEY.

HON. E. J. MACKRELL.

GOVERNMENT—QUEENSLAND.

GOVERNOR :

HIS EXCELLENCY COLONEL THE RT. HON.
SIR LESLIE ORME WILSON, G.C.S.I.,
G.C.I.E., C.M.G., D.S.O.

MINISTRY (17th June, 1932):

Premier, Chief Secretary, and Treasurer :

HON. W. FORGAN SMITH.

Secretary for Public Lands :

HON. P. PEASE.

Secretary for Labour and Industry :

HON. M. P. HYNES.

Secretary for Mines :

HON. J. STOPFORD.

Attorney-General :

HON. J. MULLAN.

Secretary for Public Works :

HON. H. A. BRUCE.

Secretary for Public Instruction :

HON. F. A. COOPER.

Secretary for Agriculture and Stock :

HON. F. W. BULCOCK.

Home Secretary :

HON. E. M. HANLON.

Minister for Transport :

HON. J. DASH.

GOVERNMENT—SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

GOVERNOR :

HIS EXCELLENCY MAJOR-GENERAL SIR
WINSTON JOSEPH DUGAN, K.C.M.G., C.B.,
D.S.O.

MINISTRY (18th April, 1933) :

Premier, Treasurer, and Minister of Immigration :

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*Attorney-General, Minister of Education, and Minister
of Industry and Employment :*

HON. S. W. JEFFRIES.

*Commissioner of Crown Lands, Minister of Repatria-
tion, and Minister of Irrigation :*

HON. M. MCINTOSH.

*Commissioner of Public Works, Minister of Railways,
and Minister of Marine :*

HON. H. S. HUDD, M.C.

*Minister of Agriculture and Minister of Local
Government :*

HON. A. P. BLESING, M.L.C.

GOVERNMENT—WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE HON. SIR JAMES
MITCHELL, K.C.M.G.

MINISTRY (26th April, 1933) :

Premier, Treasurer and Minister for Forests :

HON. P. COLLIER.

Minister for Justice and Railways :

HON. J. C. WILLCOCK.

Chief Secretary :

HON. J. M. DREW, M.L.C.

Minister for Mines and Health :

HON. S. W. MUNSIE.

Minister for Lands and Immigration :

HON. M. F. TROY.

Minister for Water Supplies, Education and Police :

HON. H. MILLINGTON.

Minister for Public Works, Labour and Employment :

HON. J. J. KENNEALLY.

Minister for Agriculture and North West :

HON. F. J. S. WISE.

Minister without Portfolio :

HON. W. H. KITSON, M.L.C.

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GOVERNOR :

HIS EXCELLENCY SIR ERNEST CLARK,
K.C.B., C.B.E.

MINISTRY (22nd June, 1934):

Premier (without Portfolio) :

HON. A. G. OGILVIE, K.C.

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HON. E. DWYER-GRAY.

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*Chief Secretary and Minister for Transport
and Health :*

HON. T. D'ALTON.

Attorney-General and Minister for Education :

HON. E. J. OGILVIE.

*Minister for Agriculture, Forestry and Agricultural
Bank :*

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HON. J. F. GAHA, M.L.C.

HON. J. McDONALD, M.L.C.

I.—AREA AND POPULATION.

State or Territory.(a)	Year of Formation into Separate Colony or Territory.	Area in Square Miles.	Population.(b)	
			Census 30th June, 1933.	Estimated 30th June, 1935.
N.S.W.	1786	309,432	2,600,847	2,644,760
Vic. ..	1851	87,884	1,820,261	1,837,966
Q'ld. ..	1859	670,500	947,534	967,947
S.A. ..	1834	380,070	580,949	584,815
W.A. ..	1829	975,920	438,852	445,692
Tas. ..	1825	26,215	227,599	228,728
N. Ter.	1863(c)	523,620	4,850	5,111
F.C.T.	1911	940	8,947	9,286
Total	..	2,974,581	6,629,839	6,724,305

(a) The six States with their included Territories were federated under the name "Commonwealth of Australia" on the 1st January, 1901.

(b) Exclusive of full-blood Aborigines.

(c) Transferred to Commonwealth in 1911.

2.—METROPOLITAN POPULATION—AUSTRALIA AND OTHER COUNTRIES.

Metropolis.	Year.	Popula- tion.
Canberra (Fed. Cap)	31st Dec., 1934	7,500
Sydney (N.S.W.) ..		1,249,040
Melbourne (Vic.) ..		1,000,000
Brisbane (Qld.) ..		304,930
Adelaide (S.A.) ..		313,778
Perth (W.A.) ..		213,828
Hobart (Tas.) ..		60,500
Total of above		3,149,576
Wellington (N.Z.)	1934	146,800
Amsterdam (N'lands) ..	1934	781,659
Athens (Greece)	1931	473,200
Berlin (Germany)	1934	4,181,959
Brussels (Belgium)	1933	891,422
Budapest (H'gry)	1934	1,039,853
Capetown (S.A'a) (a) ..	1932	138,400
Copenhagen (D'mk)	1932	812,619
Dublin (Irish F. St.) ..	1935	428,800
Edinburgh (Scot'nd)	1935	461,400
Lisbon (Portugal)	1933	594,000
London (Eng'nd)	1934	8,401,000
Madrid (Spain)	1933	1,014,704
Moscow (Russia)	1933	3,663,300
New York (N.Y.St.)	1934	7,473,701
Ottawa (Canada)	1931	126,872
Paris (France)	1931	2,891,020
Prague (Cz'slovakia) ..	1933	897,251
Rome (Italy)	1934	1,063,316
Stockholm (Sw'd'n)	1933	521,618
Tokyo (Japan)	1934	5,662,900
Vienna (Austria)	1934	1,874,130
Washington (U.S.A.)	1930	486,869

(a) European population.

3.—POPULATION OF PRINCIPAL CITIES AND TOWNS IN AUSTRALIA—CENSUS, 1933.

(Exclusive of Capital Cities).

City or Town.	State.	Population.
Newcastle and Suburbs ..	N.S.W.	104,485
Geelong and Suburbs ..	Vic. ..	39,223
Ballarat and Suburbs ..	Vic. ..	37,411
Rockhampton ..	Qld. ..	29,369
Bendigo and Suburbs ..	Vic. ..	29,131
Launceston ..	Tas. ..	27,524
Broken Hill ..	N.S.W.	26,925
Toowoomba ..	Qld. ..	26,423
Townsville ..	Qld. ..	25,876
Ipswich ..	Qld. ..	22,498
Kalgoorlie and Suburbs ..	W.A. ..	17,326
Goulburn ..	N.S.W.	14,849
Cessnock ..	N.S.W.	14,385
Lithgow ..	N.S.W.	13,444
Cairns ..	Qld. ..	11,993
Lismore ..	N.S.W.	11,762
Port Pirie ..	S.A. ..	11,677
Wagga Wagga ..	N.S.W.	11,631
Bundaberg ..	Qld. ..	11,466
Maryborough ..	Qld. ..	11,415
Wollongong ..	N.S.W.	11,403
Mackay ..	Qld. ..	10,665
Albury ..	N.S.W.	10,543
Bathurst ..	N.S.W.	10,413
Tamworth ..	N.S.W.	9,913
Orange ..	N.S.W.	9,634
Warrnambool ..	Vic. ..	8,906
Fairfield ..	N.S.W.	8,709
Dubbo ..	N.S.W.	8,344
West Maitland ..	N.S.W.	8,191
Gympie ..	Qld. ..	7,749

4.—POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS— SUMMARY, AUSTRALIA.

(Exclusive of full-blood Aborigines.)

Heading.		1921.	1933.	1934.
Population at 31st Dec. (,000 omitted.)	Males	2,799	3,379	3,401
	Fem.	2,712	3,277	3,305
	Total	5,511	6,656	6,706
Births	Males	70,039	57,160	55,848
	Fem.	66,159	54,109	53,627
	Total	136,198	111,269	109,475
	Rate <i>a</i>	24.95	16.78	16.39
Marriages	No.	46,869	46,595	51,465
	Rate <i>a</i>	8.59	7.03	7.71
Deaths	Males	30,852	33,250	34,571
	Fem.	23,424	25,867	27,658
	Total	54,076	59,117	62,229
	Rate <i>a</i>	9.91	8.92	9.32
Deaths of Child'n under one Year	Males	5,111	2,500	2,697
	Fem.	3,841	1,897	2,075
	Total	8,952	4,397	4,772
	Rate <i>b</i>	65.73	39.52	43.59
Natural Increase		82,122	52,152	47,246
Rate of Natural In- crease (<i>a</i>)..		15.04	7.86	7.07

(*a*) Number per 1,000 of mean population. (*b*)
Number per 1,000 births.

5.—VITAL STATISTICS—STATE AND METROPOLITAN RATES, 1934.

State or Metropolis.	Birth.(a)	Death.(a)	Infant Mortality.(b)	Natural Increase.(a)	Net Im-migration.(c)	Total Increase.(c)
State—						
N.S.W. . .	16.5	8.9	46.4	7.6	0.1	0.9
Vic. . .	15.2	10.2	44.6	5.0	0.2	0.7
Qld. . .	18.2	8.6	40.6	9.6	0.1	1.1
S.A. . .	14.5	9.3	35.6	5.2	-0.2	0.3
W.A. . .	17.7	9.2	40.9	8.5	-0.3	0.5
Tas. . .	19.5	10.2	42.3	9.3	-1.2	-0.3
Metropoli-tan—						
Sydney . .	13.3	9.5	44.3	3.8	0.3	0.7
Melbourne	13.2	10.8	48.4	2.4	0.2	0.4
Brisbane	14.1	9.7	42.4	4.4	0.8	1.2
Adelaide	12.1	10.7	39.9	1.4	0.0	0.2
Perth . .	15.6	10.7	41.3	4.9	2.2	2.7
Hobart . .	18.3	12.6	40.5	5.7	-0.6	-0.1

(a) Number per 1,000 of mean population. (b) Number per 1,000 births. (c) Per cent. of mean population.

6.—ESTIMATED MIGRATION—AUSTRALIA.

Particulars.	1930.	1931.	1932.	1933.	1934.
Arrivals—					
Males ..	33,881	21,986	22,637	24,457	27,451
Females ..	29,212	18,428	19,360	23,334	26,253
Persons ..	63,093	40,414	41,997	47,791	53,704
Departures <i>a</i>					
Males ..	40,989	30,356	24,864	25,053	26,428
Females ..	30,634	20,152	20,130	22,525	24,996
Persons ..	71,623	50,508	44,994	47,578	51,424
Excess of Arrivals	-8,530	-10,094	-2,997	213	2,280

(a) Adjusted in accordance with the revised results of the Census of the 30th June, 1933.

Note.—Minus sign (—) denotes Excess of Departures over Arrivals.

7.—NOMINATED AND SELECTED IMMIGRANTS WHO ARRIVED IN AUSTRALIA.

Particulars.	1930.	1931.	1932.	1933.	1934.
Nominated—					
Males ..	869	71	23	4	14
Females ..	1,143	124	38	21	6
Persons ..	2,012	195	61	25	20
Selected—					
Males ..	339	40	58	..	98
Females ..	332	40	56	..	42
Persons ..	671	80	114	..	140
Total ..	2,683	275	175	25	160

8.—MIGRATION—NATIONALITY OR RACE, AUSTRALIA.

Nationality or Race.	Arrivals.		Departures.	
	Year.		Year.	
	1933.	1934.	1933.(a)	1934.
European—				
British ..	40,696	45,450	40,805	44,641
Danish ..	47	61	62	70
Dutch ..	85	148	94	134
Finnish ..	8	10	34	28
French ..	642	626	648	541
German ..	272	308	220	263
Greek ..	281	358	261	242
Italian ..	1,356	1,765	904	902
Maltese				
(British) ..	24	63	57	73
Norwegian ..	31	31	44	29
Russian ..	60	86	67	75
Swedish ..	61	57	55	40
Swiss ..	97	102	68	92
United States	855	1,111	848	1,071
Yugoslav ..	206	197	111	132
Other Euro- pean ..	380	422	339	314
Total, European Races ..	45,101	50,795	44,617	48,647

(a) Adjusted in accordance with the revised results of the Census of the 30th June, 1933.

8.—MIGRATION—NATIONALITY OR RACE AUSTRALIA—continued.

Nationality or Race.	Arrivals.		Departures.	
	Year.		Year.	
	1933.	1934.	1933.(a)	1934.
Non-European—				
Chinese ..	1,483	1,580	1,896	1,613
Filipinos ..	1	6	5	10
Japanese ..	272	381	286	355
Malays ..	60	45	26	20
Natives of East Indies	129	83	1	84
Natives of India and Ceylon ..	324	410	338	299
Syrians ..	58	50	44	25
Other Asiatics	41	48	61	46
Papuans ..	263	230	228	269
Polynesians, Melanesians	49	47	64	25
Other Non-European ..	12	29	12	31
Total, Non-European Nationalities or Races ..	2,690	2,909	2,961	2,777
TOTAL, ALL NATIONALITIES OR RACES ..	47,791	53,704	47,578	51,424

(a) Adjusted in accordance with the revised results of the Census of the 30th June, 1933.

9—URBAN AND RURAL POPULATION— AUSTRALIA, CENSUS, 1933.

(Exclusive of full-blood Aboriginals.)

Division.	Males.	Females.	Total.	% on Total
Urban— Metropolitan	1,474,979	1,632,435	3,107,414	46.87
Provincial ..	556,154	568,550	1,124,704	16.97
Rural ..	1,321,212	1,059,805	2,381,017	35.91
Migratory	14,766	1,938	16,704	0.25
Total ..	3,367,111	3,262,728	6,629,839	100.00

10.—URBAN AND RURAL POPULATION— AUSTRALIA, 1921 AND 1933.

(Exclusive of full-blood Aboriginals.)

Division.	Census, 1921.	Census, 1933.	(a) Increase 1921-33.	(a) Increase per cent. 1921-33.
Urban— Metropolitan	2,338,079	3,107,414	769,335	32.90
Provincial ..	1,037,468	1,124,704	87,236	8.41
Rural ..	2,030,422	2,381,017	350,595	17.27
Migratory	29,765	16,704	—13,061	—43.88
Total ..	5,435,734	6,629,839	1,194,105	21.97

(a) Minus sign (—) denotes decrease.

II.—AGES OF POPULATION—AUSTRALIA. CENSUS, 1933.

(Exclusive of full-blood Aborigines.)

Age Last Birthday.	Males.	Females	Persons.
0-4 ..	290,461	278,504	568,965
5-9 ..	318,937	308,443	627,380
10-14 ..	317,526	307,696	625,222
15-19 ..	311,792	303,618	615,410
20-24 ..	298,001	286,617	584,618
25-29 ..	277,462	256,508	533,970
30-34 ..	251,515	237,664	489,179
35-39 ..	228,660	237,493	466,153
40-44 ..	229,822	226,469	456,291
45-49 ..	209,325	199,388	408,713
50-54 ..	171,688	162,774	334,462
55-59 ..	132,314	128,857	261,171
60-64 ..	114,859	113,746	228,605
65-69 ..	92,946	90,499	183,445
70-74 ..	66,018	64,282	130,300
75-79 ..	35,920	36,255	72,175
80-84 ..	13,862	15,736	29,598
85-89 ..	4,640	6,234	10,874
90-94 ..	1,148	1,607	2,755
95-99 ..	184	306	490
100 and over ..	31	32	63
Total ..	3,367,111	3,262,728	6,629,839
0-5 ..	354,297	339,579	693,876
6-13 ..	514,093	498,447	1,012,540
14-20 ..	431,793	419,788	851,581
21-64 ..	1,852,179	1,789,963	3,642,142
65 and over ..	214,749	214,951	429,700

12. CONJUGAL CONDITION OF POPULATION— AUSTRALIA, 1921 AND 1933.

(Exclusive of full-blood Aboriginals.)

Conjugal Condition.	Census, 1921.	Census, 1933.	Increase, 1921-1933.
Never Married—			
Under Age 14	1,623,567	1,706,416	82,849
Age 14 and over	1,552,613	1,959,186	406,573
TOTAL ..	3,176,180	3,665,602	489,422
Married ..	1,998,662	2,593,615	594,953
Widowed ..	237,821	327,955	90,134
Divorced ..	8,528	21,113	12,585
Not Stated ..	14,543	21,554	7,011
TOTAL ..	5,435,734	6,629,839	1,194,105

13. INCOMES OF POPULATION—AUSTRALIA— CENSUS, 1933.

(Exclusive of full-blood Aboriginals.)

Income.	Breadwinners.			Other persons (a) with Incomes.
	Males.	Females.	Persons.	
No Income ..	308,747	83,688	392,435	..
Under £52 per per annum	566,814	308,689	875,503	137,011
£52 to £103 per annum ..	385,055	188,556	573,611	43,556
£104 to £155 per annum	273,033	102,653	375,686	17,413
£156 to £207 per annum	265,649	41,550	307,199	7,556
£208 to £259 per annum	222,772	17,508	240,280	4,325
£260 or over per annum	307,804	23,933	331,737	8,755
Not Stated ..	37,906	21,264	59,170	..
Total ..	2,367,780	787,841	3,155,621	218,616

(a) Includes persons engaged in home duties, scholars, and other dependants.

14.—RELIGIONS OF POPULATION—AUSTRALIA, 1921 AND 1933.

(Exclusive of full-blood Aboriginals.)

Religion.	Census, 1921.	Census, 1933.	Increase(a) 1921-1933.
Christian—			
Baptist ..	105,703	105,874	171
Catholic,			
Roman ..	1,134,002	1,161,455	27,453
Catholic (b)	38,659	127,542	88,883
Church of			
Christ ..	54,574	62,754	8,180
Church of			
England	2,372,995	2,565,118	192,123
Congrega-			
tional ..	74,513	65,202	— 9,311
Lutheran ..	57,519	60,803	3,284
Methodist	632,629	684,022	51,393
Presbyterian	636,974	713,229	76,255
Protestant(b)	67,112	72,764	5,652
Salvation			
Army ..	31,589	31,210	— 379
Other ..	61,372	77,765	16,393
Total Christian	5,267,641	5,727,738	460,097
Non-Christian—			
Chinese ..	3,591	305	— 3,286
Hebrew ..	21,615	23,553	1,938
Mohammedan	2,868	1,877	— 991
Other ..	7,331	2,735	— 4,596
Total Non-			
Christian ..	35,405	28,470	— 6,935
Indefinite ..	19,886	13,029	— 6,857
No Religion ..	20,544	11,654	— 8,890
No Reply ..	92,258	848,948	756,690
Total ..	5,435,734	6,629,839	1,194,105

(a) Minus sign (—) denotes decrease. (b) Undefined.

15. BIRTHPLACES OF POPULATION— AUSTRALIA—1921 AND 1933.

(Exclusive of full-blood Aborigines.)

Birthplace.	Census, 1921.	Census, 1933.	Increase(a) 1921-1933.
Australia ..	4,581,663	5,717,229	1,135,566
New Zealand	38,611	45,924	7,313
Other Aus- tralasian ..	524	777	253
England ..	446,124	485,726	39,602
Wales ..	13,490	14,478	988
Scotland ..	108,756	132,239	23,483
Ireland ..	105,033	78,517	-26,516
Germany ..	22,396	16,829	-5,567
Greece ..	3,654	8,293	4,639
Italy ..	8,135	26,693	18,558
Other European	36,841	43,136	6,295
British India	6,918	6,841	- 77
China ..	15,224	8,555	-6,669
Other Asiatic	8,150	9,119	969
South African Union ..	5,408	6,178	770
Other African	1,367	1,642	275
Canada ..	3,550	3,920	370
United States of America	6,604	6,054	-550
Other American	1,918	1,593	-325
Polynesian ..	3,168	2,880	-288
At Sea ..	3,708	2,051	-1,657
Not Stated ..	14,492	11,165	-3,327
Total ..	5,435,734	6,629,839	1,194,105

(a) Minus sign (-) denotes decrease.

16.—POPULATION ACCORDING TO RACE— AUSTRALIA, 1921 AND 1933.

(Exclusive of full-blood Aborigines.)

Race	Census, 1921.	Census, 1933.	Increase(a) 1921-1933.
European Race	5,387,143	6,579,990	1,192,847
Non-European, Full-blood—			
Chinese ..	17,157	10,846	— 6,311
Indian(b) ..	2,881	2,403	— 478
Japanese ..	2,740	2,241	— 499
Malay ..	1,087	969	— 118
Polynesian ..	2,113	1,364	— 749
Syrian ..	2,892	2,879	— 13
Other ..	2,105	2,116	11
Total, Full-blood	30,975	22,818	— 8,157
Half-caste—			
Australian Aboriginal	11,536	20,609	9,073
Chinese ..	3,669	3,481	— 188
Indian(b) ..	695	692	— 3
Japanese ..	188	225	37
Polynesian ..	349	434	85
Syrian ..	348	302	— 46
Other ..	831	1,288	457
Total, Half-caste	17,616	27,031	9,415
Grand Total	5,435,734	6,629,839	1,194,105

(a) Minus sign (—) denotes decrease. (b) Native of India.

17.—OCCUPATIONS—NUMBERS ENGAGED IN INDUSTRY—AUSTRALIA, 1921 AND 1933.

(Exclusive of full-blood Aborigines.)

Industry Group.	Census, 1921.	Census, 1933.	Increase (a)1921- 1933.
Fishing and Trapping	10,752	14,611	3,859
Agricultural and Pastoral, &c. ..	481,355	547,750	66,395
Forestry ..	30,280	26,116	- 4,164
Mining, &c. ..	66,766	68,354	1,588
Industrial—			
Manufacturing ..	445,574	511,511	65,937
Building ..	95,274	107,446	12,172
Roads, Earthworks, &c. ..	137,106	217,656	80,550
Other ..	39,852	29,558	-10,294
Total Industrial	717,806	866,171	148,365
Transport and Com- munication ..	207,737	223,893	16,156
Commerce, &c. ..	330,678	451,392	120,714
Public Administra- tion, &c. ..	215,229	232,212	16,983
Entertainment, &c.	17,830	24,250	6,420
Domestic Service ..	209,814	242,378	32,564
No Industry, &c. ..	61,414	619,430	134,016
Pensioners ..	(c)	263,064	(c)
Dependants ..	3,086,073	3,474,218	388,145
Total ..	5,435,734	6,629,839	1,194,105

(a) Minus sign (-) denotes decrease. (b) Includes unemployed persons for whom industry was not stated; also a number who were described as independent and who have been included tentatively pending further analysis. (c) Comparable figures not available.

18.—GRADE OF EMPLOYMENT OF POPULATION —AUSTRALIA—1921 AND 1933.

(Exclusive of full-blood Aborigines.)

Grade.	Census, 1921.	Census, 1933.	Increase(a) 1921-1933.
Employer ..	139,623	207,680	68,057
Working on Own Account ..	342,321	369,375	27,054
Wage or Salary Earner ..	1,502,893	1,421,140	115,611
Apprenticed Wage Earner }		26,367	
Wage Earner Employed Part Time .. }		170,997	
Unemployed ..	159,080	481,044	321,964
Helper not re- ceiving wages	34,792	46,016	11,224
Grade not ap- plicable ..	3,224,243	3,901,562	677,319
Not Stated ..	32,782	5,658	-27,124
Total ..	5,435,734	6,629,839	1,194,105

(a) Minus sign (-) denotes decrease.

19.—OCCUPIED DWELLINGS, CENSUS, 1933.

State or Territory.	Private.	Other.	Total.	Per Private Dwelling.		
				Rooms.	Inmates.	
					1921.	1933.
N.S.W.	585,450	14,300	599,750	4.94	4.52	4.14
Vic. ..	422,277	10,595	432,872	5.20	4.34	4.01
Qld. ..	210,427	5,695	216,122	4.95	4.40	4.14
S.A. ..	136,611	2,663	139,274	5.13	4.34	4.02
W.A....	100,441	3,137	103,578	4.39	4.11	3.95
Tas. ..	51,310	1,174	52,484	4.97	4.44	4.18
N.T. ...	1,222	79	1,301	2.71	2.83	2.79
F.C.T.	1,933	62	1,995	4.76	4.39	4.10
Total	1,509,671	37,705	1,547,376	4.99	4.40	4.08

20.—LAND SETTLEMENT—AUSTRALIA, 1933.

,000 OMITTED.

Land—	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'land.	S.A.
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.
Alienated ..	44,683	26,516	19,280	12,099
In process of alienation ..	23,253	6,926	8,689	4,155
Held under Lease or Licence ..	109,047	5,718	324,582	115,735
Other Crown lands ..	21,053	17,086	76,569	111,256
Total ..	198,036	56,246	429,120	243,245

Land—	W.A.	Tas.	Nor. Terr.	Fed. Cap. Terr.	Australia.
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.
Alienated	15,963	5,774	478	73	124,866
In process of alienation ..	19,584	487	..	34	63,128
Held under Lease or Licence	198,325	2,623	186,497	292	942,819
Other Crown Lands	390,717	7,894	148,142	6202	772,919
Total ..	624,589	16,778	335,117	601	1,903,732

(a) Includes Lord Howe Island.
Jervis Bay area.

(b) Includes

21.—RAINFALL AND TEMPERATURE—STATE AND FEDERAL CAPITAL CITIES.

Capital.	Height above Mean Sea Level.	Annual Rainfall		
		Average.	Highest on record	Lowest on record
	Feet.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.
Sydney ..	138	47.54	82.76	21.49
Melbourne..	115	25.66	38.04	15.61
Brisbane ..	137	45.44	88.26	16.17
Adelaide ..	140	21.14	30.87	11.39
Perth ..	197	34.92	49.22	20.21
Hobart ..	177	23.97	43.39	13.43
Canberra ..	1,837	22.96	33.71	16.31

Capital.	Temperature.			
	Mean Summer.	Mean Winter.	Highest on record	Lowest on record
	Fah.	Fah.	Fah.	Fah.
Sydney ..	71.0	54.3	108.5	35.7
Melbourne..	66.6	50.1	111.2	27.0
Brisbane ..	76.6	59.8	108.9	36.1
Adelaide ..	73.0	53.1	116.3	32.0
Perth ..	73.1	56.0	112.2	34.2
Hobart ..	61.4	46.9	105.2	27.0
Canberra ..	67.9	43.9	104.2	14.0

22.—BUILDING PERMITS (a) CAPITAL CITIES AND SUBURBS—AUSTRALIA.

£'000 omitted.

City and Sub- urbs of—		1928-29	1932-33	1933-34	1934-35
		£	£	£	£
Sydney	..	b 9,715	2,258	4,140	7,630
Melbourne	..	7,661	2,568	4,218	5,604
Brisbane (c)	..	2,440	793	1,051	1,654
Adelaide	..	1,807	400	617	1,164
Perth	..	2,518	731	988	1,354
Hobart (d)	..	150	100	169	203
Total		24,291	6,850	11,183	17,609

(a) Value of permits issued for Dwellings, Other Buildings, and Alterations and Additions.
 (b) Exclusive of the City of Sydney and value of alterations and additions in Sydney and suburbs.
 (c) Includes Government Buildings. (d) Includes Government Buildings erected by contract.

23.—PASTORAL STATISTICS—AUSTRALIA.

,000 omitted, except in value per head.

Particulars.	1923-24.	1932-33	1933-34.
Number of Live Stock—			
Sheep (a)	84,011	112,927	109,921
Cattle	13,358	12,783	13,512
Horses	2,327	1,765	1,763
Stock Slaughtered—			
Sheep .. No.	10,396	19,531	19,244
Cattle .. No.	2,049	2,031	2,206
Production—			
Beef—			
Quantity lb.	1,028,785	866,207	909,878
Value .. £	20,541	11,381	13,241
Mutton and Lamb—			
Quantity lb.	420,364	774,256	733,463
Value .. £	12,601	9,496	12,535
Wool (b)—			
Quantity lb.	662,598	1,062,623	995,931
Value .. £	66,451	38,599	62,336
Skins—Value £	5,809	3,032	4,787
Tallow—			
Quantity cwt.	828	1,245	964
Value .. £	1,576	1,269	932
Value of Pastoral Production(e) £	110,216	64,851	94,924
Value per head of Population ..	£19 3s. 2d.	£9 16s. 5d.	£14 5s. 3d.
Total Exports of Australian Pastoral Products (c) .. £	66,979	45,449	68,941
Exports of Wool (d) £	56,196	36,407	57,111

(a) Estimate, 31st December, 1934, 114,284,415.

(b) Estimate, 1934-35, 1,031,000,000 lb. (c) For further details see page 78, *et seq.* (d) Exports of wool for the five years ending 1933-34 averaged nearly £39 million. (e) Gross values.

24.—DAIRYING STATISTICS—AUSTRALIA.

,000 omitted, except in Production per Cow.

Particulars.	1923-24.	1932-33.	1933-34.
Number of Dairy Cows	2,305	3,101	3,266
Production—			
Milk .. gals.	672,532	1,080,740	1,145,304
Butter (b) .. lb.	226,666	419,675	450,936
Cheese .. lb.	25,381	36,933	38,476
Condensed, &c. lb.	64,390	55,254	53,659
Production per Dairy Cow—			
Milk .. gal.	285	375	375
Butter .. lb.	96	145	148
Number of Pigs (a) ..	898	1,162	1,047
Number of Pigs Slaughtered	1,048	1,615	1,627
Production—			
Bacon and Ham lb.	67,610	68,366	71,490
Pork .. lb.	33,603	62,780	63,270
Exports (c)—			
Butter .. lb.	65,441	226,329	244,300
Cheese .. lb.	3,788	11,785	9,315
Bacon and Ham lb.	1,549	1,597	1,665
Pork, Frozen lb.	53	6,703	8,664
Total Value of—			
Dairy Production (d) £	42,112	39,622	40,306
Butter .. £	17,603	19,412	19,182
Eggs and Poultry £	9,036	8,555	8,547
Milk .. £	6,545	5,181	5,741
Bacon and Ham £	4,041	2,399	2,641
Exports of Dairy Products (c) .. £	6,323	11,856	10,588

(a) Estimate, 31st December, 1934, 1,100,000.

(b) Estimate, 1934-35, 470,000,000 lb. (c) For further details see page 78, *et seq.* (d) Gross values.

25.—AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS—AUSTRALIA.

,000 OMITTED IN AREA AND YIELD.

Crop.		1923-24.	1932-33	1933-34.
Wheat(a)	{ Acres ..	9,540	15,766	14,901
	{ Yield, bus.	124,993	213,927	177,338
	{ Aver. ,,	13.10	13.57	11.90
Oats	{ Acres ..	1,077	1,027	1,374
	{ Yield, bus.	17,303	16,160	16,922
	{ Aver. ,,	16.07	15.73	12.32
Barley	{ Acres ..	259	442	465
	{ Yield, bus.	4,975	8,670	7,959
	{ Aver. ,,	19.11	19.58	17.12
Malze	{ Acres ..	316	228	304
	{ Yield, bus.	8,115	5,066	7,494
	{ Aver. ,,	25.65	22.20	24.67
Hay	{ Acres ..	3,406	2,727	3,081
	{ Yield, tons	4,052	3,571	3,583
	{ Aver. ,,	1.19	1.31	1.16
Potatoes	{ Acres ..	134	147	140
	{ Yield, tons	448	384	328
	{ Aver. ,,	3.33	2.61	2.35

(a) Estimate, 1934-35, 133,489,000 bushels.

25.—AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS—AUSTRALIA —continued.

,000 OMITTED, EXCEPT IN AVERAGES.

Crop.		1923-24.	1932-33.	1933-34.
Sugar Cane	{ Acres ..	237	307	329
	{ Yield, tons	2,178	3,703	4,898
	{ Aver. „(a)	14.97	17.40	20.57
Sugar Produced (b) ..		286	533	666
Orchards	{ Acres ..	274	274	282
	{ Pro-duction £	6,324	7,414	7,082
Vineyards	{ Acres ..	113	114	116
	{ Wine prod. gal.	14,664	16,418	13,996
Total Area under Crop acres		16,531	22,408	22,454
Value of Agricultural Production (d) £		81,166	75,562	70,732
Average Value of Crops—				
Per acre		£4/18/2	£3/7/5	£3/3/0
Per Head of Population		£14/2/2	11/8/10	£10/12/7
Average price of wheat(c) per bus.		5s. 0½d.	3s. 1d	2s. 10d.

(a) Per acre of productive area. (b) Estimated yield, 1934, 660,000 tons. (c) Year ended December previous. Average price for 1934, 2s. 7½d. per bushel. (d) Gross values.

26.—MINERAL PRODUCTION—AUSTRALIA.

,000 OMITTED, EXCEPT IN LAST TWO ITEMS.

Mineral.	1924.	1933.	1934.
Gold .. fine oz.	676	830	887
Silver .. oz.	9,873	10,903	11,254
Lead .. ton	153	223	218
Zinc .. "	169	115	82
Copper .. "	15	12	9
Tin .. "	3.0	2.5	2.5
Coal .. "	13,758	9,092	9,801
„ Brown .. "	127	2,580	2,618
Limestone Flux .. "	328	215	368
Ironstone .. "	580	737	1,264
Pig Iron produced(a), ..	367	336	487
Steel Ingots (a) ..	336	393	518
Steel Rails, Bars, &c.(a)	279	296	432
Value of Mineral Production (c) £	24,592	17,608	20,026
Value per head of Population ..	£4/3/8	£2/12/11	£2/19/9
Number of Miners Employed	54,596	58,092	662,000

(a) Year ending June. (b) Subject to revision.
 (c) Gross values.

27.—MANUFACTURING STATISTICS— SUMMARY, AUSTRALIA.

,000 OMITTED.

Particulars.	1923-24.	1932-33.	1933-34.
Number of Factories (c)	20,189	22,330	23,297
Hands Employed <i>b</i> { M. F.	311 103	262 109	289 117
Total ..	414	371	406
Wages paid (a) £	77,278	59,416	64,445
Wages paid per employee (c) £	195	168	166
Power and Fuel used £	10,296	10,446	11,215
Net h.p. used ..	596	824	884
Net h.p. used per employee (c) ..	1.44	2.22	2.22
Raw Materials used £	197,039	175,149	189,827
Value of Production £	141,242	119,203	129,092
Value of Production per employee (c) £	341	321	318
Total Value of Output £	348,578	304,798	330,134
Value of Land and Buildings £	82,562	105,837	107,506
Plant and Machinery £	99,553	120,550	120,208

(a) Excluding Working Proprietors. (b) Including Working Proprietors, 16,386 in 1923-24, 17,461 in 1932-33 and 18,532 in 1933-34. (c) Actual number or value.

28.—MANUFACTURING STATISTICS—CLASSES OF
INDUSTRY, FACTORIES AND EMPLOYEES,
AUSTRALIA, 1933-34.

Class of Industry.	Fac-	Em-
	tories.	ployees.
	No.	No.
I. Treatment of Mine and Quarry Products ..	404	5,507
II. Bricks, Pottery, Glass, etc. ..	409	9,020
III. Chemicals, Dyes, Ex- plosives, Paint, etc. ..	589	13,310
IV. Industrial Metals, Ma- chines, etc. ..	5,789	107,398
V. Precious Metals, Jewellery, etc. ..	255	2,371
VI. Textiles and Textile Goods	588	36,790
VII. Skins and Leather ..	511	9,513
VIII. Clothing ..	4,052	72,260
IX. Food, Drink, and Tobacco	4,583	67,668
X. Woodworking and Basket- ware ..	2,243	19,927
XI. Furniture, Bedding, etc.	995	9,562
XII. Paper, Printing and Binding ..	1,712	31,937
XIII. Rubber ..	305	6,561
XIV. Musical Instruments ..	32	572
XV. Miscellaneous Products ..	333	5,122
XVI. Heat, Light and Power ..	497	8,391
Total ..	23,297	405,909

29.—MANUFACTURING STATISTICS—WAGES, FUEL, MATERIALS, VALUE OF PRODUCTION, AUSTRALIA, 1933-34.

,000 OMITTED.

Class. (a)	Wages Paid.	Value of Power and Fuel Used.	Value of Materials Used.	Value of Production.
	£	£	£	£
I. ..	1,071	438	2,278	2,536
II. ..	1,496	523	927	2,573
III. ..	2,382	420	10,994	8,083
IV. ..	19,434	3,007	37,985	30,896
V. ..	342	20	358	566
VI. ..	4,458	562	13,309	8,243
VII. ..	1,455	176	8,678	2,738
VIII. ..	7,417	243	14,623	12,043
IX. ..	12,392	2,178	77,875	30,394
X. ..	3,123	191	6,424	5,053
XI. ..	1,304	68	2,637	2,258
XII. ..	5,721	346	7,409	10,562
XIII. ..	1,074	220	2,798	2,155
XIV. ..	91	5	88	128
XV. ..	676	52	1,416	1,419
XVI. ..	2,009	2,766	2,028	9,445
Total ..	64,445	11,215	189,827	129,092

(a) For particulars see Table 28.

30.—MANUFACTURING STATISTICS—VALUE OF OUTPUT, LAND AND BUILDINGS, PLANT AND MACHINERY, AUSTRALIA, 1933-34.

,000 OMITTED.

Class. (a)	Production per Em- ployee. (b)	Value of Output.	Value of Land and Buildings.	Value of Plant and Machinery.
	£	£	£	£
I. ..	461	5,252	2,415	5,374
II. ..	285	4,023	2,375	2,414
III. ..	607	19,497	5,904	5,386
IV. ..	288	71,888	25,846	24,612
V. ..	239	944	518	148
VI. ..	224	22,113	5,106	5,751
VII. ..	288	11,593	1,790	914
VIII. ..	167	26,909	9,059	2,061
IX. ..	449	110,447	27,009	27,306
X. ..	254	11,668	3,487	3,326
XI. ..	236	4,962	1,963	679
XII. ..	331	18,317	9,094	7,140
XIII. ..	328	5,174	1,893	1,711
XIV. ..	224	221	144	34
XV. ..	277	2,887	1,064	561
XVI. ..	1,126	14,239	9,839	32,791
Total	318	330,134	107,506	120,208

(a) For particulars see Table 28.

(b) Actual amount.

VALUE OF PRODUCTION.

Hitherto the value of production has been presented on a gross basis for primary industries and on a net basis for factories, and consequently on account of the duplication involved the values shown could only be accepted as a rough index of the change from time to time. Arising out of a series of conferences held by Australian Statisticians it is now possible to exclude production and marketing costs and present the values on a net basis for all branches of production excepting Fisheries and Mines and Quarries. For these industries, it is not possible, as yet, to obtain production costs in all States and therefore the values shown are greater than they should be. The figures given in the table have been prepared by the State Statisticians, largely from actual collected records. Where this has not been possible careful estimates have been made from the best available data. Particulars of certain costs are not available for all States but these are minor defects and are not sufficiently important to impair the value of the following tables :—

31.—NET VALUE OF RECORDED PRODUCTION (OMITTING MAINTENANCE AND DEPRECIATION), AUSTRALIA—1933-34.

£ MILLIONS.

Industry.	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Total
Agriculture	11.7	10.1	9.7	5.9	4.6	1.7	43.7
Pastoral	34.4	15.9	12.1	4.6	5.6	1.6	74.2
Dairying	8.0	6.2	4.6	1.1	0.4	0.4	20.7
Poultry and Bees ..	1.8	2.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	5.3
Total	55.9	34.5	26.7	11.9	10.9	4.0	143.9
Trapping	1.1	0.4	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.2	1.8
Forestry	1.7	0.6	1.3	0.5	0.7	0.3	5.1
Fisheries (a)	0.5	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.1	1.4
Mines and Quarries (a) ..	5.9	1.4	2.2	1.2	5.3	0.8	16.8
Total All Primary ..	65.1	37.0	30.5	13.9	17.1	5.4	169.0
Factories	54.1	44.2	13.7	8.6	5.5	3.0	129.1
Total All Industries ..	119.2	81.2	44.2	22.5	22.6	8.4	298.1

(a) Local value.

32.—NET VALUE OF RECORDED PRODUCTION PER HEAD OF MEAN POPULATION, AUSTRALIA—1933-34.

Industry.	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Agriculture	4.5	5.5	10.2	10.1	10.4	7.3	6.6
Pastoral	13.1	8.7	12.7	7.8	12.8	7.0	11.2
Dairying	3.1	3.4	4.9	2.0	0.9	1.7	3.1
Poultry and Bees ..	0.7	1.2	0.3	0.5	0.7	1.3	0.8
Total	21.4	18.8	28.1	20.4	24.8	17.3	21.7
Trapping	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.7	0.3
Forestry	0.7	0.3	1.4	0.8	1.7	1.1	0.8
Fisheries (a)	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.2
Mines and Quarries (a) ..	2.2	0.8	2.3	2.1	12.0	3.7	2.5
Total All Primary ..	24.9	20.2	32.1	23.7	39.0	23.1	25.5
Factories	20.7	24.2	14.4	14.8	12.3	13.3	19.4
Total All Industries ..	45.6	44.4	46.5	38.5	51.3	36.4	44.9

(a) Local value.

33.—STERLING VALUE OF EXTERNAL TRADE. ,000 OMITTED.

Year.	Imports.	Exports.	Total Trade.	Ships' Stores.(a)
	£	£	£	£
1925-26	151,638	146,209	297,847	2,773
1926-27	164,717	144,084	308,801	2,781
1927-28	147,945	141,206	289,151	2,601
1928-29	143,648	141,633	285,281	2,316
1929-30	131,081	125,127	256,208	2,047
1930-31	60,960	(c)89,326	150,286	1,653
1931-32	44,713	(c)85,348	130,061	1,560
1932-33	58,014	(c)96,597	154,611	1,622
1933-34	60,713	(c)98,573	159,286	1,621
1934-35b	74,127	(c)90,042	164,169	1,713

(a) Australian currency value, and are not included with exports. (b) Preliminary figures. (c) Australian currency value, 1930-31, £104,855,852; 1931-32, £108,404,318; 1932-33, £120,943,317; 1933-34, £123,441,299 and 1934-35, £112,756,978.

34.—STERLING VALUE OF EXTERNAL TRADE PER HEAD OF POPULATION.

Year.	Imports.			Exports.			Total Trade		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1925-26	25	5	6	24	7	5	49	12	11
1926-27	26	18	1	23	10	8	50	8	9
1927-28	23	13	7	22	12	1	46	5	8
1928-29	22	12	3	22	5	10	44	18	1
1929-30	20	7	7	19	9	0	39	16	7
1930-31	9	7	7	(b)13	14	11	23	2	6
1931-32	6	16	6	(b)13	0	5	19	16	11
1932-33	8	15	8	(b)14	12	6	23	8	2
1933-34	9	2	6	(b)14	16	2	23	18	8
1934-35a	11	1	1	(b)13	8	6	24	9	7

(a) Preliminary figures. (b) Values in Australian currency were 1930-31, £16 2s. 9d.; 1931-32, £16 10s. 10d.; 1932-33, £18 6s. 3d.; 1933-34, £18 11s.; and 1934-35, £16 16s. 3d.

35.—ORIGIN OF IMPORTS—AUSTRALIA.

(Excluding Gold Bullion and Specie.)

BRITISH CURRENCY VALUES.

Country of Origin.	1932-33.		1933-34.	
	Value.	%	Value.	%
	£ Stg.		£ Stg.	
U. Kingdom ..	23,541,877	42.54	25,143,101	43.35
Canada ..	2,315,462	4.18	2,918,095	5.03
Ceylon ..	624,562	1.13	718,563	1.24
India ..	3,423,103	6.18	2,926,181	5.05
Malaya (Brit.)	271,407	0.49	327,235	0.56
New Zealand	731,200	1.32	1,198,645	2.07
Pacific Islands	851,516	1.54	696,073	1.20
Union of Sth. Africa ..	99,648	0.18	133,441	0.23
Other British	456,435	0.83	546,692	0.94
Total British	32,315,210	58.39	34,608,026	59.67
Belgium ..	391,294	0.71	368,219	0.63
China ..	266,938	0.48	285,514	0.49
France ..	1,195,470	2.15	956,335	1.65
Germany ..	1,831,636	3.33	1,920,676	3.32
Italy ..	676,139	1.22	588,260	1.01
Japan ..	3,536,581	6.38	3,676,737	6.34
Netherlands ..	461,674	0.83	389,669	0.67
Netherlands East Indies	2,930,951	5.29	3,960,233	6.83
Norway ..	305,455	0.55	340,325	0.59
Sweden ..	886,332	1.06	782,780	1.35
Switzerland ..	478,436	0.86	451,030	0.78
United States	8,084,047	14.60	7,838,982	13.52
Other Foreign	1,987,284	4.15	1,828,503	3.15
Total Foreign	23,032,237	41.61	23,387,263	40.33
Total Imports	55,347,447	100	57,995,289	100
	(a)		(a)	

(a) The values exclude outside packages, 1932-33, £1,524,882, and 1933-34, £1,506,932.

36.—DESTINATION OF EXPORTS—AUSTRALIA.

(Excluding Gold Bullion and Specie.)

AUSTRALIAN CURRENCY VALUES.

Country of Destination.	1932-33.		1933-34.	
	Value.	%	Value.	%
	£ A.		£ A.	
U. Kingdom ..	46,893,462	47.66	54,402,862	47.78
Canada ..	1,209,237	1.23	1,267,170	1.13
Ceylon ..	331,001	0.34	421,499	0.37
Fiji ..	347,168	0.35	320,707	0.28
Hong Kong ..	769,242	0.78	506,696	0.44
India ..	831,470	0.84	610,159	0.53
Malaya (Brit.)	962,060	0.98	1,015,315	0.89
New Zealand	2,770,190	2.81	3,031,026	2.66
Papua ..	128,145	0.13	129,500	0.11
Union of Sth. Africa ..	232,339	0.24	247,278	0.22
Other British	1,818,269	1.85	1,831,547	1.61
Total British	56,292,583	57.21	63,783,759	56.02
Belgium ..	4,061,551	4.13	7,470,984	6.56
China ..	6,283,398	6.39	914,806	0.80
Egypt ..	481,256	0.49	370,234	0.33
France ..	6,054,054	6.15	6,517,380	5.72
Germany ..	5,089,724	5.17	9,439,054	8.29
Italy ..	3,275,500	3.33	4,600,423	4.04
Japan ..	11,468,459	11.66	13,906,256	12.21
Netherlands ..	306,193	0.31	455,328	0.40
Netherlands East Indies	1,195,518	1.21	1,149,167	1.01
Pacific Islands	284,483	0.29	285,637	0.25
Philippine Is.	430,154	0.44	348,177	0.31
United States	1,341,241	1.36	2,491,601	2.18
Other Foreign	1,834,951	1.86	2,135,331	1.88
Total Foreign	42,106,482	42.79	50,084,378	43.98
Total Exports	98,399,065	100	113,868,137	100

37.—IMPORTS OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES— AUSTRALIA.

(BRITISH CURRENCY VALUES.)

Article.	1932-33.	1933-34.	1934-35.(a)
	£ Stg.	£ Stg.	£ Stg.
Tea	1,270,948	2,174,035	2,084,489
Tobacco, and preparations thereof ..	711,848	718,282	1,342,796
Whisky ..	360,285	429,017	483,344
Copra ..	137,073	67,164	135,577
Gloves ..	309,145	288,558	327,514
Trimmings and ornaments ..	310,217	255,477	313,308
Piece Goods—			
Canvas and duck	383,493	390,052	511,875
Cotton and linen	5,090,861	4,541,307	5,093,877
Silk or contain- ing silk ..	2,771,277	2,543,386	2,919,831
Woollen or con- taining wool ..	111,171	178,484	252,695
Sewing silks, cot- tons, etc. ..	544,879	479,119	532,768
Carpets and car- peting ..	599,174	703,087	925,521
Floorcloths and linoleums ..	202,005	291,890	409,788
Bags and sacks	2,596,201	2,202,038	2,059,805
Yarns—			
Artificial Silk ..	504,979	548,356	691,952
Cotton ..	586,998	479,400	548,428
Woollen ..	52,332	35,162	39,070
Petroleum spirit, benzine, etc. ..	3,704,511	3,340,990	3,170,070
Kerosene ..	622,838	394,251	419,339
Electrical ma- chinery and appliances ..	1,046,064	1,167,701	1,787,295.

(a) Preliminary figures.

37.—IMPORTS OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES— AUSTRALIA—continued.

Article.	1932-33.	1933-34.	1934-35.(a)
	£ Stg.	£ Stg.	£ Stg.
Electrical materials, cable and wire, covered	376,324	454,214	646,590
Agricultural machinery ..	83,491	95,306	123,974
Tools of trade	516,197	585,142	751,089
Plated Ware and Cutlery	344,292	315,408	389,355
Chassis & Bodies for motor cars, and parts ..	1,435,771	3,009,424	4,836,675
Iron and Steel—			
Plate & sheet	1,401,892	1,421,521	2,041,149
Pipes & tubes	416,024	460,396	527,774
Rubber and manufactures	580,680	663,530	896,463
Timber, dressed and undressed	1,022,725	1,175,641	1,551,942
Crockery & other household ware	390,584	382,395	493,128
Glass and glass-ware ..	359,345	476,917	638,033
Paper, printing	1,817,973	1,726,627	1,837,220
Stationery, books, etc.	1,211,626	1,369,976	1,610,535
Drugs, chemicals, etc. ..	3,687,498	3,384,857	3,533,205
Musical instruments, pianos, etc. ..	36,824	55,461	80,371
All other articles	622,416,315	623,908,355	630,119,741
Total Imports	58,013,860	60,712,926	74,126,586

(a) Preliminary figures. (b) Including Outside Packages, 1932-33, £1,524,882; 1933-34, £1,506,932; and 1934-35, £1,857,496.

38.—EXPORTS OF PRINCIPAL AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE. (Australian Currency Values).

Article.	1932-33.	1933-34.	1934-35.(b)
Butter .. cntl.	2,263,293	2,442,997	2,625,189
£	8,940,008	8,194,220	9,586,776
Cheese .. cntl.	117,852	93,137	168,564
£	318,895	229,313	403,977
Meats .. £	5,998,187	7,094,371	8,845,730
Milk and Cream			
cntl.	244,525	197,719	165,831
£	927,546	739,000	709,845
Fruits, dried cntl.	1,063,245	1,454,867	1,277,838
£	2,230,110	2,650,773	2,165,241
Fruits, fresh cntl.	2,750,352	2,402,877	2,284,587
£	2,417,437	2,011,695	1,821,933
Fruits and Vegetables, preserved in liquid			
£	780,046	1,014,456	997,160
Wheat .. cntl.	71,733,563	36,959,117	45,575,801
£	17,804,849	8,873,987	11,612,357
Flour .. cntl.	12,629,179	10,849,839	13,959,412
£	4,148,973	3,266,718	4,607,383
Jams and Jellies			
cntl.	18,850	22,452	29,491
£	47,596	55,958	63,425
Sugar .. tons	187,039	307,979	301,440
£	1,489,639	2,296,015	2,194,885
Sandalwood tons			
£	4,854	3,953	3,671
£	132,657	114,301	108,641
Tobacco cntl.	6,402	4,507	4,203
£	171,771	125,563	117,975
Hides and Skins£	2,366,941	4,384,584	3,501,951
Wool (a) .. cntl.	10,183,770	9,060,469	9,420,634
£	36,406,990	57,111,449	39,261,415

(a) In terms of Greasy Wool. (b) Preliminary figures.

38.—EXPORTS OF PRINCIPAL AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE—*continued.*

Article.	1932-33.	1933-34.	1934-35.(b)
Pearlshell tons	1,649	1,686	2,123
£	233,786	198,347	212,490
Tallow .. tons	37,355	24,387	41,357
£	790,405	494,940	927,740
Coal .. tons	282,977	292,416	304,965
£	281,512	269,296	273,333
Concentrates tons	79,916	140,902	110,110
£	297,190	816,439	759,737
Copper .. tons	8,418	5,272	3,630
£	249,570	231,185	141,429
Lead .. tons	181,817	184,511	184,001
£	2,388,085	2,421,161	2,416,695
Tin .. tons	979	1,240	1,105
£	189,723	329,410	302,271
Zinc—Bar, tons	34,969	32,347	26,979
Block, Dust £	578,453	617,736	484,070
Leather .. £	390,355	611,359	489,252
Timber, un- dressed, includ- ing Logs (a) sup ft.	26,508,661	45,507,512	73,953,488
£	302,809	489,758	774,360
Soap .. cntl.	89,945	71,521	54,351
£	166,228	119,498	83,878
Gold .. £	21,598,527	8,159,695	8,153,758
Silver .. £	692,875	1,014,756	541,046
All other ar- ticles £	6,068,193	6,715,942	8,135,640
Total Exports— Australian Produce £	118,409,356	120,651,925	109,694,393

(a) Exclusive of undressed timber not measured in super. feet. (b) Preliminary figures.

39.—BUTTER (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE)— EXPORTS.

Country to which Exported.	Quantity.		Australian Currency Value.	
	1933- 34.	1934- 35.(a)	1933- 34.	1934- 35.(a)
	1,000 centals.	1,000 centals.	£1,000.	£1,000.
United Kingdom	2,269	2,457	7,583	8,917
India and Ceylon	8	9	30	35
Hong Kong ..	7	8	29	32
Malaya (Brit.)	15	16	49	68
Mauritius ..	2	2	6	8
Pacific Is. (Brit.)	3	3	12	13
Other British Countries ..	5	3	20	12
Belgium ..	1	1	3	4
China ..	15	16	52	61
Egypt ..	21	19	70	70
Italy ..	..	..	1	..
Japan ..	1	1	3	2
Netherlands E. Indies ..	82	72	286	302
Pacific Islands	2	2	9	9
Panama ..	1	2	1	6
Philippine Is. ..	9	12	32	38
Siam ..	1	1	5	5
Other Foreign Countries ..	1	1	3	5
Total ..	2,443	2,625	8,194	9,587

(a) Preliminary figures.

40.—FLOUR (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE)—EXPORTS.

Country to which Exported.	Quantity.		Australian Currency Value.	
	1933- 34.	1934- 35.(a)	1933- 34.	1934- 35.(a)
	1,000 centals.	1,000 centals.	£1,000.	£1,000.
United Kingdom	2,734	1,988	815	632
Ceylon ..	378	377	111	123
Cyprus ..	119	55	33	17
Hong Kong ..	553	1,012	170	340
Malaya (Brit.)	1,017	1,239	318	409
Malta ..	124	27	39	8
Mauritius ..	286	219	80	70
New Zealand ..	25	13	9	5
Pacific Is. (Brit.)	107	113	38	44
Sudan ..	258	160	74	49
Other British Countries ..	321	342	103	117
Africa, Portu- guese East..	149	124	45	40
Africa, Portu- guese West	79	96	24	31
China ..	1,585	670	442	233
Egypt ..	555	435	154	165
Japan ...	114	514	32	174
Manchuria (in- cluding Kwan- tung Peninsula)	..	3,660	..	1,205
Netherlands E. Indies ..	1,612	1,643	510	550
Pacific Islands (Foreign) ..	133	137	46	51
Philippine Is. ...	220	549	78	193
Siam ..	183	133	53	43
Other Foreign Countries ..	298	454	93	108
Total ..	10,850	13,960	3,267	4,607

(a) Preliminary figures.

41.—WHEAT (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE)— EXPORTS.

Country to which Exported.	Quantity.		Australian Currency Value.	
	1933- 34.	1934- 35.(a)	1933- 34.	1934- 35.(a)
	1,000 centals.	1,000 centals.	£1,000.	£1,000.
United Kingdom	27,319	17,295	6,597	4,449
"for orders" ..	..	128	..	33
India ..	168	101	45	25
Irish Free State	2,376	1,023	603	291
Union of South Africa ..	24	13	7	5
Other British Countries ..	243	188	59	54
Africa, French W., for orders ..	..	1,075	..	276
Belgium ..	22	2	6	1
Canary Islands for orders ..	..	1,485	..	379
China ..	886	7,899	208	1,999
Egypt ..	122	233	27	67
Italy ..	420	11	93	3
Japan ..	4,632	9,318	1,042	2,274
Netherlands ..	38	31	10	9
Peru ..	164	..	42	..
Other Foreign Countries ..	445	257	111	58
For orders ..	100	6,517	24	1,689
Total ..	36,959	45,576	8,874	11,612

(a) Preliminary figures.

42.—WOOL, GREASY (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE)— EXPORTS.

Country to which Exported.	Quantity.		Australian Currency Value.	
	1933- 34.	1934- 35.(a)	1933- 34.	1934- 35.(a)
	1,000 centals.	1,000 centals.	£1,000.	£1,000.
United Kingdom	2,096	2,926	14,774	13,525
India ..	9	9	62	42
Belgium ..	926	1,242	5,594	4,685
Czechoslovakia	12	20	93	97
France ..	650	758	4,135	2,845
Germany ..	1,135	272	7,592	1,275
Italy ..	585	177	3,983	738
Japan ..	1,704	1,961	11,903	8,614
Netherlands ..	33	165	246	764
Poland ..	91	120	603	522
Spain ..	15	59	128	291
Sweden ..	16	25	131	125
U.S. of America	54	54	466	342
Other Countries	30	68	139	342
Total ..	7,356	7,856	49,849	34,207

(a) Preliminary figures.

**43.—WOOL, SCOURED AND WASHED (INCLUDING WOOL TOPS), (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE)
—EXPORTS.**

Country to which Exported.	Quantity.		Australian Currency Value.	
	1933- 34.	1934- 35.(a)	1933- 34.	1934- 35.(a)
	1,000 centals.	1,000 centals.	£1,000.	£1,000.
United Kingdom	342	366	2,975	2,473
Canada ..	35	33	388	301
Hong Kong ..	1	1	5	4
India and Ceylon	6	8	45	43
New Zealand ..	..	..	2	3
Belgium ..	147	107	1,371	747
France ..	59	98	557	713
Germany ..	112	29	1,107	238
Italy ..	27	11	253	70
Japan ..	29	10	224	66
Poland ..	15	12	181	94
Netherlands ..	6	9	58	62
Sweden ..	4	7	38	42
U.S. of America	2	1	20	10
Other Countries	2	27	38	188
Total ..	787	719	7,262	5,054

(a) Preliminary figures.

44.—BEEF, FROZEN (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE)— EXPORTS.

Country to which Exported.	Quantity.		Australian Currency Value.	
	1933- 34.	1934- 35.(a)	1933- 34.	1934- 35.(a)
	1,000 centals.	1,000 centals.	£1,000	£1,000
United Kingdom	1,509	1,936	1,745	2,318
Ceylon ..	6	5	11	11
Gibraltar ..	6	8	6	9
Hong Kong ..	12	15	15	20
Malaya (British)	18	20	28	29
Malta ..	25	25	34	32
Pacific Islands	4	5	8	10
Other British Countries ..	..	2	1	3
Belgium ..	36	9	34	10
China ..	4	3	4	4
Egypt ..	57	47	70	61
Germany ..	1	..	1	..
Japan ..	22	30	23	28
Netherlands E. Indies ..	2	1	2	2
Philippine Is. ..	29	14	36	19
Other Foreign Countries ..	..	..	2	2
Total ..	1,731	2,120	2,020	2,558

(a) Preliminary figures.

45.—MUTTON AND LAMB, FROZEN (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE)—EXPORTS.

Country to which Exported.	Quantity.		Australian Currency Value.	
	1933- 34.	1934- 35.(a)	1933- 34.	1934- 35.(a)
	1,000 centals.	1,000 centals.	£1,000.	£1,000.
United Kingdom	1,675	1,925	3,504	4,390
Ceylon ..	4	4	10	13
Gibraltar ..	2	1	3	3
Hong Kong ..	4	5	9	10
Malaya (British)	9	10	18	25
Malta ..	5	5	8	8
Pacific Islands (British) ..	4	3	6	6
Other British Countries ..	1	1	2	1
Egypt ..	4	5	7	10
France ..	2	1	2	1
Japan ..	..	..	1	1
Philippine Is. ..	1	2	4	5
Panama ..	..	..	2	2
Other Foreign Countries ..	..	..	..	1
Total ..	1,711	1,962	3,576	4,476

(a) Preliminary figures.

46.—OVERSEA TRADE—STATES, ETC.

States, etc.	1932-33.	1933-34.	1934-35.(a)
IMPORTS (British Currency).			
	£ Stg.	£ Stg.	£ Stg.
N.S.W. ..	23,831,322	25,760,333	32,648,213
Victoria ..	21,516,988	22,404,232	26,355,449
Queensland ..	4,519,578	4,647,838	6,296,376
S.A. ..	3,760,595	3,679,412	3,967,043
W.A. ..	3,816,621	3,555,561	4,081,022
Tasmania ..	564,531	637,230	737,564
N. Territory	4,225	28,320	40,919
Total ..	58,013,860	60,712,926	74,126,586

EXPORTS (Australian Currency).

	£ A.	£ A.	£ A.
N.S.W. ..	46,676,333	42,242,005	37,721,279
Victoria ..	29,950,068	30,519,726	28,120,905
Queensland ..	15,279,726	19,617,628	18,302,882
S.A. ..	12,816,954	12,685,986	11,818,297
W.A. ..	14,018,532	15,556,855	14,796,698
Tasmania ..	2,515,934	2,812,796	1,969,525
N. Territory	10,427	6,303	27,392
Total ..	121,267,974 (b)	123,441,299 (b)	112,756,978 (b)

(a) Preliminary figures. (b) Australian currency values. Estimated British currency values, in 1932-33, £ Stg. 96,597,225; 1933-34, £ Stg. 98,572,632; 1934-35, £ Stg. 90,042,228.

47.—VALUE OF AUSTRALIAN PRODUCTION AND EXPORTS ACCORDING TO INDUSTRY—TEN YEARS, 1924-25 TO 1933-34.

Industrial Group.	Value of Production during Ten Years.	Percentage on Total Production.	Value of Exports during Ten Years.	Percentage on Total Exports.	Percentage Exported of the Production in each Industrial Group.
	£1,000.	%	£1,000.	%	%
Agriculture	836,885	21.33	307,645	25.30	36.76
Pastoral	969,237	24.72	646,364	53.16	66.68
Dairy and Farmyard	455,297	11.60	97,228	8.00	21.35
Mining	195,425	4.98	107,684	8.86	55.10
Forestry and Fisheries	107,191	2.74	15,750	1.29	14.69
Total Primary Produce	(a) 2,564,035	65.37	1,174,671	96.61	45.81
Manufacturing	1,357,687	34.63	41,208	3.39	3.03
Total	3,921,722	100.00	1,215,879	100.00	31.00

(a). Gross values.

48.—SHIPPING—AUSTRALIA.

Particulars.	1932-33.		1933-34.	
	Vessels.	Net Tonnage.	Vessels.	Net Tonnage.
Oversea Vessels—		,000.		,000
Entered ..	1,554	5,933	1,380	5,353
Cleared ..	1,560	5,908	1,394	5,411
Total ..	3,114	11,841	2,774	10,764

49.—SHIPPING—TONNAGE OF CARGO.

YEAR 1933-34.

(,000 OMITTED.)

States, etc.	Oversea—		Inter-state—
	Dis-charged.	Shipped.	Shipped.
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
New South Wales	1,485	1,384	2,462
Victoria ..	1,335	943	796
Queensland ..	270	568	373
South Australia ..	428	1,040	1,238
Western Australia	428	879	75
Tasmania ..	54	185	534
Northern Territory	1	..	2
Total 1933-34 ..	4,001	4,999	5,480
„ 1932-33 ..	3,897	6,420	4,866
„ 1931-32 ..	2,967	6,678	4,010
„ 1930-31 ..	3,413	6,442	4,100
„ 1929-30 ..	6,646	4,598	4,572

50.—SHIPPING—NATIONALITY OF OVERSEA VESSELS ENTERED, AUSTRALIA.

,000 OMITTED.

Nationality.	Net Tonnage.			
	1930- 31.	1931- 32.	1932- 33.	1933- 34.
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
Australian ..	227	231	265	289
United Kingdom	3,087	3,138	3,218	2,788
Canadian ..	38	42	54	79
New Zealand ..	321	261	291	336
South African ..	10	16	16	31
Other British ..	53	44	100	191
Total, British	3,736	3,732	3,944	3,714
Danish ..	45	46	107	76
Dutch ..	147	157	185	164
French ..	103	91	108	115
German ..	115	116	118	122
Italian ..	68	68	77	83
Japanese ..	672	689	546	333
Norwegian ..	340	395	394	336
Swedish ..	114	111	136	111
United States of America ..	187	205	246	248
Other Foreign ..	55	77	72	51
Total, Foreign	1,846	1,955	1,989	1,639
Grand Total ..	5,582	5,687	5,933	5,353

51.—GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.—MILEAGE OPEN AND COST.

Government.	Mileage.		Cost of Construction and Equipment.	
	1932-33.	1933-34.	1932-33.	1933-34.
	Miles.	Miles.	£,000.	£,000.
Federal ..	2,145	2,145	15,545	15,607
N.S. Wales	6,164	6,164	138,922	139,058
Victoria ..	4,721	4,721	74,707	75,226
Queensland	6,566	6,566	634,099	634,390
S. Australia	2,529	2,529	27,168	27,176
W. Australia	4,338	4,360	24,159	24,704
Tasmania ..	645	645	6,560	6,562
Total ..	27,108	27,130	325,531 ^a	327,094 ^a

(a) Includes £4,371,000 cost of Grafton-South Brisbane line, not apportioned to States. (b) The Capital Account was reduced by £28,000,000.

52.—GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS. — MILEAGE (ROUTE) ACCORDING TO GAUGE, 30th JUNE, 1934.

Govern- ment.	Gauge.				Total Mile- age, all Gauges.
	5' 3".	4' 8½".	3' 6".	2' 6" and under.	
	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.
Federal ..	..	1,056.79	1,087.91	..	2,144.70
N.S.W. ..	..	6,124.32	39.51	..	6,163.83
Vic. ..	4,599.00	..	..	121.77	4,720.77
Q'land. ..	..	68.82	6,467.57	^a 30.26	6,566.65
S.A. ...	1,451.24	..	1,078.02	..	2,529.26
W.A. ..	..	..	4,359.88	..	4,359.88
Tas. ...	..	..	633.56	^a 11.33	644.89
Total	6,050.24	7,249.93	13,666.45	163.36	27,129.98

(a) 2' gauge.

53.—GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.—FINANCES.

1932-33.

Government.	Gross Rev- enue.	Working Ex- penses.	Net Rev- enue.	Interest Pay- able. (a)
	£,000.	£,000.	£,000.	£,000.
Federal ..	309	348	— 39	453
N.S. Wales	16,205	11,967	4,238	6,353
Victoria ..	9,446	6,367	3,079	3,222
Queensland	5,992	4,324	1,669	1,595
S. Australia	2,734	1,978	755	1,137
W. Australia	2,932	2,111	821	996
Tasmania ..	382	374	8	264
Total ..	38,000	27,469	10,531	614,126

1933-34.

Government.	Gross Rev- enue.	Working Ex- penses.	Net Rev- enue.	Interest Pay- able. (a)
	£,000.	£,000.	£,000.	£,000.
Federal ..	330	376	— 46	442
N.S. Wales	15,690	11,204	4,486	5,971
Victoria ..	9,175	6,241	2,934	3,182
Queensland	6,230	4,494	1,736	1,565
S. Australia	2,560	2,029	531	1,089
W. Australia	2,919	2,187	732	1,008
Tasmania ..	391	385	6	247
Total ..	37,295	26,916	10,379	613,607

(a) Excludes exchange.

(b) Includes part Grafton-South Brisbane line not apportioned to States.

Minus sign (—) denotes loss.

54.—GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS—FINANCES (PERCENTAGES).

Government.	1932-33.		1933-34.	
	Percentage of—		Percentage of—	
	Working Expenses on Gross Revenue.	Net Revenue on Capital Cost.	Working Expenses on Gross Revenue.	Net Revenue on Capital Cost.
	%	%	%	%
Federal ..	112.76	-0.25	114.01	-0.30
N.S. Wales	73.84	3.05	71.40	3.23
Victoria ..	67.40	4.12	68.03	3.90
Queensland	72.15	4.81	72.14	4.99
S. Australia	72.37	2.78	79.25	1.95
W. Australia	72.02	3.40	74.90	2.97
Tasmania ..	97.97	0.12	98.59	0.84
Total ..	72.29	(a) 3.24	72.17	(a) 3.17

(a) Includes Grafton-South Brisbane line.

Minus sign (—) denotes loss.

55.—GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.—TRAFFIC, 1933-34.

,000 OMITTED.

Government.	Traffic Train Miles.	Passenger Journeys.	Tonnage of Goods and Live Stock Carried.
Federal ..	551	88	88
New South Wales ..	25,173	142,521	11,364
Victoria ..	15,312	131,367	5,858
Queensland ..	11,139	22,878	4,215
South Australia ..	4,930	16,325	2,142
Western Australia ..	5,390	12,103	2,652
Tasmania ..	1,134	1,789	561
Total ..	63,629	327,071	26,880

56.—PRIVATE RAILWAYS USED FOR GENERAL
TRAFFIC—MILEAGE (ROUTE) ACCORDING
TO GAUGE, 30th JUNE, 1934.

State.	Gauge.				Total Mile- age—all Gauges.
	5' 3".	4' 8½".	3' 6".	3' 0" and under.	
	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.
N.S.W. ..	..	45.97	36.73	..	82.70
Victoria ..	13.94	..	..	11.00	24.94
Q'land. ..	..	..	99.51	170.39	269.90
S.A. ..	..	..	50.51	..	50.51
W.A. ..	..	..	277.00	..	277.00
Tasmania ..	..	..	125.07	16.49	141.56
Total, Aus- tralia ..	13.94	45.97	588.82	197.88	846.61

57.—TRAMWAYS—MILEAGE OPEN AND MOTIVE POWER, 30th JUNE, 1934.

State.	Elec- tric.	Steam	Cable.	Horse.	Total.
	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.
N.S.W.	185.43	9.06	..	..	194.49
Vic. ..	154.48	..	24.29	..	178.77
Q'land ..	56.86	6.65	..	..	63.51
S.A. ..	82.83	..	..	..	82.83
W.A. ..	65.56	6.10	..	2.51	74.17
Tas. ..	28.43	..	..	..	28.43
Total ..	573.59	21.81	24.29	2.51	622.20

58.—TRAMWAYS—MILEAGE OPEN AND CON- TROLLING AUTHORITY, 30th JUNE, 1934.

State.	Govern- ment.	Muni- cipal.	Private.	Total.
	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.
N.S.W. ..	190.99	..	3.50	194.49
Vic. ..	178.77	..	..	178.77
Q'land ..	..	63.51	..	63.51
S.A. ..	..	82.83	..	82.83
W.A. ..	54.00	8.61	11.56	74.17
Tas. ..	..	28.43	..	28.43
Total ..	423.76	183.38	15.06	622.20

59.—TRAMWAYS—MILEAGE OPEN AND GAUGE, 30th JUNE, 1934.

State.	Gauge.			Total Mileage—all Gauges.
	5' 3".	4' 8½".	3' 6".	
	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.
N.S.W. ..	..	194.49	..	194.49
Vic. ..	5.18	173.59	..	178.77
Q'land ..	..	56.86	6.65	63.51
S.A. ..	..	82.83	..	82.83
W.A. ..	..	..	74.17	74.17
Tas. ..	..	..	28.43	28.43
Total ..	5.18	507.77	109.25	622.20

60.—TRAMWAYS—CONTROLLING AUTHORITY AND CAPITAL COST, 30th JUNE, 1934.

State.	Government.	Municipal.	Private.	Total.
	£'000.	£'000.	£'000.	£'000.
N.S.W. ..	8,391	..	(a) 20	8,411
Vic. ..	8,562	..	..	8,562
Q'land ..	..	2,116	..	2,116
S.A. ..	..	4,072	..	4,072
W.A. ..	1,194	167	458	1,819
Tas. ..	..	634	..	634
Total ..	18,147	6,989	478	25,614

(a) Estimated.

61.—TRAMWAYS, ELECTRIC.—SUMMARY.

,000 OMITTED.

State.	Capital Cost.	Car Miles Run.	Passen- gers Carried.	Gross Re- venue.	Work- ing Ex- penses.
	£	Miles.	No.	£	£
YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1933.					
N.S.W. ..	8,002	36,572	293,555	3,246	2,753
Vic. ..	7,315	18,658	137,147	1,654	965
Q'land ..	2,109	6,255	68,470	683	466
S.A. ..	4,068	(a)7,374	a48,154	(a)643	(a)392
W.A. ..	1,732	4,270	36,323	352	289
Tas. ..	631	1,887	14,850	162	116
Total	23,857	75,016	598,499	6,740	4,981

YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1934.

N.S.W. ..	8,234	36,085	294,327	3,005	2,350.
Vic. ..	7,278	18,738	139,379	1,681	988
Q'land ..	2,062	6,444	69,976	689	489
S.A. ..	4,072	(a)7,382	a47,021	(a)628	(a)388
W.A. ..	1,746	4,300	36,589	352	295
Tas. ..	634	1,909	14,942	165	124
Total ..	24,026	74,858	602,234	6,520	4,634

(a) Includes motor omnibuses. Separate particulars not available.

62.—CIVIL AIRCRAFT—SUMMARY, AUSTRALIA.

Particulars.	1932-33.	1933-34.
Registered aircraft		
owners (a) .. No.	115	114
Registered aircraft (a) No.	197	188
Licensed pilots—		
Private (a) .. No.	370	429
Commercial (a) .. No.	184	201
Flights carried out .. No.	85,346	89,894
Hours flown .. No.	31,883	35,487
Approximate mileage Miles	2,587,389	3,061,449
Passengers carried—		
Paying .. No.	58,155	54,119
Non-paying .. No.	12,949	10,117
Total .. No.	71,104	64,236
Goods, Weight carried (b) lb.	244,258	296,983
Mails, Letters carried lb.	36,212	43,627
Accidents—		
Persons killed .. No.	5	10
„ injured .. No.	6	12

(a) At 30th June. (b) Including stage freight in South Australia and Western Australia.

63.—MOTOR VEHICLES—SUMMARY.

States, etc.	Motor Vehicles Registered.			Drivers' and Riders' Licences Issued.	Re- venue. (a) £
	Cars, Trucks, &c.	Cycles.	Total.		
YEAR 1932-33.					
N.S.W.	199,116	23,354	222,470	309,704	1,557,441
Vic. ..	156,163	23,439	179,602	235,613	1,185,474
Q'land ..	81,492	7,725	89,217	46,222	493,503
S.A. ..	51,109	8,520	59,629	89,507	503,386
W.A. ..	40,595	5,992	46,587	56,730	274,721
Tas. ..	14,014	3,741	17,755	20,863	97,202
Nor. Aust.	575	39	614	485	336
Gen. Aust.	62	4	66	87	88
Fed. Cap. Terrty.	1,210	82	1,292	1,762	7,228
Total ..	544,336	72,896	617,232	760,973	4,119,379
YEAR 1933-34.					
N.S.W.	205,171	22,571	227,742	320,801	1,776,238
Vic. ..	164,008	24,248	188,256	245,847	1,280,878
Q'land ..	85,333	7,502	92,835	115,935	598,156
S.A. ..	57,645	8,584	66,229	96,916	536,174
W.A. ..	42,698	6,284	48,982	60,472	292,768
Tas. ..	14,722	3,785	18,507	21,534	110,457
Nor. Aust.	572	40	612	508	372
Gen. Aust.	64	2	66	165	132
Fed. Cap. Terrty.	1,327	88	1,415	1,804	7,921
Total	571,540	73,104	644,644	863,982	4,603,096

(a) Includes motor tax.
competency.

(b) Certificates of

64.—POSTS—SUMMARY, AUSTRALIA.

Heading.	1931-32.	1932-33.	1933-34.
Post Offices(a)	8,004	8,014	8,050
Staff (b) ..	38,788	39,035	40,726
Postal Branch—			
Revenue £	5,741,281	5,745,673	5,992,049
Working Expenses £	4,251,768	4,074,849	4,143,768
Interest payable £	221,979	199,139	163,673

(a) Excluding Telephone Offices at which telephone and telegraph business only is transacted 1931-32 (1,835), 1932-33 (1,816), and 1933-34 (1,813). (b) Including mail contractors.

65.—POSTS—POSTAL MATTER, ETC., AUSTRALIA.

(,000 OMITTED.)

Heading.	1931-32.	1932-33.	1933-34.
Postal Matter dealt with—			
No. of { Letters, post-cards and packets ..	731,134	751,777	790,166
{ Newspapers ..	139,502	139,963	142,040
{ Parcels ..	9,203	9,044	9,208
{ Registered Articles ..	6,731	6,711	6,870
Money Orders—			
Issued .. No.	2,781	2,707	2,769
Value .. £	14,351	14,257	14,646
Paid .. No.	2,788	2,691	2,762
Value .. £	14,367	14,229	14,589
Postal Notes—			
Issued .. No.	16,205	16,717	19,595
Value .. £	5,579	5,746	6,397

66.—TELEGRAPHS, TELEPHONES AND WIRELESS— SUMMARY, AUSTRALIA.

Heading.	1931-32.	1932-33.	1933-34.
Telegraphs—			
No. of Offices ..	9,160	9,162	9,199
Length, Line, miles	109,527	109,185	105,697
" Wire, "	157,260	157,099	157,608
Telegrams Sent.No. <i>a</i>	12,680	12,778	13,394
Revenue £	1,168,964	1,178,272	1,229,972
Working Expenses £	1,149,986	1,085,502	1,112,878
Interest Payable £	202,345	194,358	158,106
Cables Received and Sent .. No.	1,174,968	1,219,079	1,265,258
Telephones—			
No. of Exchanges	6,069	6,071	6,087
No. of Connexions—			
Lines	363,572	363,776	372,621
Instruments ..	484,626	487,662	501,402
Revenue £	5,411,077	5,504,840	5,741,321
Working Expenses £	3,661,253	3,603,352	3,764,956
Interest Payable £	2,128,914	2,101,763	1,707,092
Wireless—			
Coastal and Island, Paying Words ..	1,936,339	1,467,985	1,835,872
Beam, Total Words	10,544,097	11,089,425	12,896,115
Licences—			
Broadcasting ..	50	(b) 60	(b) 65
Broadcast Listeners'	369,072	468,390	597,949
Experimental ..	851	1,045	1,169
Revenue ..£	160,576	192,480	269,640
Working Expenses £	116,143	153,199	170,711
Interest Payable..£	13,501	16,485	11,694

(a) ,000 omitted.
Stations.

(b) Including twelve National

67.—COMMONWEALTH CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND.—RECEIPTS. (a)

,000 OMITTED.

Source of Revenue.	1931-32.	1932-33.	1933-34.	1934-35.
	£	£	£	£
Customs ..	18,566	21,314	22,327	25,290
Excise ..	9,840	11,679	11,928	12,580
Sales Tax ..	8,425	9,369	8,696	8,554
Land Tax ..	2,157	1,650	1,325	1,281
Income Tax	13,482	10,879	9,315	8,762
Federal Salaries ..	4	..	..	..
Probate and Succession Duties ..	1,386	1,127	1,511	1,508
Entertainment Tax	133	134	51	<i>Dr.</i> 1
War-time Profits Tax	<i>Dr.</i> 34	<i>Dr.</i> 6	2	<i>Dr.</i> 18
Flour Tax ..	..	..	1,254	798
Total Taxation ..	53,959	56,146	56,409	58,754
Posts, Telegraphs, &c.	12,363	12,594	13,129	13,945
Railways ..	291	301	332	334
Marine ..	201	205	194	213
Territories	202	203	235	250
Coinage ..	191	50	139	134
Net Profit on Note Issue	1,306	1,109	729	797
Other ..	3,019	2,905	2,775	2,942
Total ..	71,532	73,513	73,942	77,369
Per Head of Population	£10/18/4	£11/2/8	£11/2/2	11/10/10

(a) Excluding interest received from States on account of States' Debts.

68.—COMMONWEALTH CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND—DISBURSEMENTS.

,000 OMITTED.

Heading.	1931-32.	1932-33.	1933-34.	1934-35.
Governor-Gen. Department	£ 26	£ 25	£ 27	£ 28
Parliament ..	459	346	357	487
Prime Min. ..	1,315	1,430	1,541	1,572
Treasury ..	2,954	2,257	2,415	2,616
Attorney-Gen.	196	197	207	223
Interior ..	994	971	987	1,014
Military ..	1,520	1,456	1,684	1,909
Navy ..	1,507	1,586	1,691	1,955
Air Services ..	483	475	490	599
Trade and Cus.	984	912	798	882
Health ..	180	175	184	191
Commerce ..	582	763	888	958
Railways ..	1,040	1,017	1,066	1,161
P'master-Gen.	11,754	11,703	11,423	12,016
Territories ..	823	789	762	780
Pensions, &c. <i>a</i>	11,504	11,092	11,266	12,091
New Works ..	833	874	1,444	1,052
War Expenditure ..	20,963	19,122	19,154	19,018
Payments to States (<i>b</i>) ..	12,101	12,526	13,212	13,782
Relief to Primary Producers ..	..	2,250	3,044	4,324
	70,218	69,966	72,640	76,658
Excess of Receipts (<i>c</i>) ..	1,314	3,547	1,302	711
Per Head of Population	£10/4/4	10/15/10	£10/18/4	£11/8/9

(*a*) Invalid and Old-age Pensions and Maternity Allowances. (*b*) Including Federal Aid Roads.

(*c*) Excess of receipts over ordinary expenditure appropriated for payment of Invalid and Old-age pensions in following year.

(*d*) Excluding non-recurring grant to States and provision for Defence equipment made from accumulated excess receipts.

69.—COMMONWEALTH PUBLIC DEBT.—ALLOCATION, 30th JUNE, 1935.

Particulars.	Australia.	London.	New York.	Total.
	£'000. Aust.	£'000. Stg.	£'000. (d)	£'000. (b)
War	187,716	90,744	..	278,460
Works and other purposes ..	32,675	66,489	16,527	115,691
Total—Commonwealth Purposes	220,391	157,233	16,527	394,151
Per Head of Population ..	£32 15 6	£23 7 8	£2 9 2	£58 12 4
Debts on account of States ..	429,702	389,224	29,038	847,964
Per Head of Population (a) ..	£64 0 9	£58 0 2	£4 6 7	£126 7 6
Total Commonwealth Debt ..	650,093	546,457	45,565	1,242,115
Per head of Population ..	£96 13 7	£81 5 4	£6 15 6	£184 14 5

INTEREST PAYABLE.

	£'000. Aust.	£'000. Stg. (e)	£'000. (d)	£'000. (c)
For Commonwealth Purposes ..	8,437	3,108	806	12,351
Debts on account of States ..	15,297	15,884	1,480	32,661
Total	23,734	18,992	2,286	45,012
Average Rate	£3 13 0	£4 1 5	£5 0 4	£3 17 5

(a) Based on total population for the six States. (b) Total "face" or "book" value of debts leaving out of consideration currency changes since the loans were floated. (c) Nominal amount of interest payable, taking no account of exchange. (d) Payable in terms of dollars. For this table dollars have been arbitrarily converted at the rate of \$4.8665 to £1. (e) Excludes suspended interest, £3,920,000, on war debt due to British Government.

70.—SUMMARY OF COMMONWEALTH EXPENDITURE FROM REVENUE AND FROM LOAN FUNDS.

,000 OMITTED.

Heading.	Year ended 30th June—			
	1932.	1933.	1934.	1935.
	£	£	£	£
Expenditure from Revenue—(a)				
Ordinary Services	49,255	50,844	53,486	57,640
War Services ..	20,963	19,122	19,154	17,901
Total ..	70,218	69,966	72,640	75,541
Expenditure from Loans—				
New Works, etc. ..	3,450	562	522	1,935
War Purposes ..	..	..	..	..
Total ..	3,450	562	522	1,935
Total Expenditure—				
Ordinary Services	52,705	51,406	54,008	59,575
War Services ..	20,963	19,122	19,154	17,901
Total Commonwealth Expenditure ..	73,668	70,528	73,162	77,476

(a) Excluding interest paid on debts of States (recoverable from States).

71.—COST OF WAR SERVICES TO 30th JUNE, 1935(b).

Year.	From Consolidated Revenue.			War Loan Expen- diture.
	War and Repat. Services.	Interest and Sinking Fund.	Total.	
	£'000.	£'000.	£'000.	£'000.
1914-15 to				
1919-20 ..	24,618	46,468	71,086	262,508
1920-21 ..	13,672	19,614	33,286	24,149
1921-22 ..	10,261	21,076	31,337	7,577
1922-23 ..	9,298	20,802	30,100	1,763
1923-24 ..	8,161	20,555	28,716	691
1924-25 ..	8,233	20,156	28,389	Cr. 32
1925-26 ..	8,474	20,539	29,013	Cr. 8
1926-27 ..	8,814	20,300	29,114	24
1927-28 ..	8,788	20,006	28,794	Cr. 24
1928-29 ..	9,027	20,772	29,799	Cr. 13
1929-30 ..	9,521	20,214	29,735	Cr. 3
1930-31 ..	10,469	18,672	29,141	Cr. 2
1931-32 ..	8,765	12,199	20,964	..
1932-33 ..	7,929	11,193	19,122	..
1933-34 ..	8,188	10,966	19,154	..
1934-35 ..	8,433	10,584	19,017	..
Discounts and flotation exes.	..	..	..	5,999
Indebtedness to U.K. Govt.(a)	..	..	..	43,398
War Gratuities	455	..	455	27,052
Total to 30.6.35	163,106	314,116	477,222	373,079

(a) Total amounts involved in Funding Arrangements Act was £92,480,157. Amount owing at 30th June, 1935, was £79,724,220. (b) Excluding War Service Homes expenditure from 1923-24.

72.—AVERAGE VALUE OF AUSTRALIAN NOTES HELD BY THE BANKS AND THE PUBLIC.(a)

Average during—	Held by Banks.	Held by Public.	Total.
	£	£	£
1930 ..	21,322,892	23,446,192	44,769,084
1931 ..	24,939,874	25,221,885	50,161,759
1932 ..	24,916,825	25,740,767	50,657,592
1933 ..	22,685,449	25,033,410	47,718,859
1934 ..	21,198,854	25,872,512	47,071,366
At 25th June, 1934 ..	21,284,099	25,016,859	46,300,958
At 24th June, 1935 ..	20,202,000	26,848,107	47,050,107

(a) Average of holdings on last Monday in each month.

73.—AUSTRALIAN NOTES ISSUED. ,000 OMITTED.

Denomina- tion.	29th June, 1931.	27th June, 1932.	26th June, 1933.	25th June, 1934.	24th June, 1935.
	£	£	£	£	£
10s. ..	2,840	2,977	3,134	3,405	3,559
£1.. ..	15,070	14,437	14,618	15,564	16,625
£5.. ..	10,599	10,415	9,692	9,650	10,091
£10 ..	5,362	5,532	4,815	4,877	5,083
£20 ..	583	510	414	203	289
£50 ..	1,964	1,751	1,535	1,482	1,555
£100 ..	3,005	3,035	2,432	2,348	2,499
£1,000 ..	11,230	12,646	10,913	8,672	7,349
Held by—					
Banks ..	25,302	26,505	23,346	21,284	20,202
Public ..	25,351	24,798	24,207	25,017	26,848
Total Issue..	50,653	51,303	47,553	46,301	47,050
Gold Reserve	15,227	10,500	11,507	15,507	15,994
Per cent. of Reserve on Total Issue	30.06	20.47	24.20	33.49	33.99

(a) Includes English sterling.

74. OLD-AGE AND INVALID PENSIONS— NUMBER AND PAYMENTS.

Year ended 30th June.	Pensioners.			Total Payments. (a)	Weekly Pensions.(b)
	Old-age.	In-valid.	Total.		
	No.	No.	No.	£	s. d.
1910	65,492	(c)	65,492	1,433,585	10 0
1911	75,502	7,451	82,953	1,847,440	10 0
1912	79,071	10,763	89,834	2,149,659	10 0
1913	82,943	13,739	96,682	2,301,675	10 0
1914	87,780	16,865	104,645	2,592,201	10 0
1915	90,892	20,417	111,309	2,718,939	10 0
1916	91,783	23,439	115,222	2,891,597	10 0
1917	93,672	26,781	120,453	3,554,135	12 6
1918	95,387	29,912	125,299	3,793,037	12 6
1919	95,969	31,999	127,968	3,936,626	12 6
1920	99,170	35,231	134,401	4,484,304	15 0
1921	102,415	37,981	140,396	5,150,241	15 0
1922	105,096	39,019	144,115	5,380,034	15 0
1923	107,389	40,064	147,453	5,424,016	15 0
1924	113,054	42,617	155,671	6,523,881	17 6
1925	117,516	44,840	162,356	6,992,905	17 6
1926	126,918	48,803	175,721	8,252,387	20 0
1927	133,234	52,399	185,633	9,144,589	20 0
1928	139,367	55,517	194,884	9,790,346	20 0
1929	145,393	59,148	204,541	10,124,239	20 0
1930	155,196	63,304	218,500	10,791,325	20 0
1931	172,177	68,343	240,520	11,710,953	20 0
1932	183,317	72,292	255,609	11,125,956	17 6
1933	176,425	72,742	249,167	10,771,061	17 6
1934	187,453	73,212	260,665	10,963,090	17 6
1935	197,126	76,852	273,978	11,762,030	17 6

(a) Includes payments to pensioners in benevolent institutions and hospitals. (b) Maximum weekly pension payable. (c) Payments to invalid pensioners commenced 15th December, 1910.

75.—COMMONWEALTH OLD-AGE AND INVALID PENSIONS—30th JUNE, 1935.

State.	Pensioners.			Total Pay-ments.(a)
	Old-age.	Invalid.	Total.	
	No.	No.	No.	£
N.S.W. ..	74,652	35,522	110,174	4,709,580
Victoria ..	58,059	17,253	75,312	3,254,242
Q'land. ..	24,346	11,029	35,375	1,530,334
S.A. ..	18,734	5,783	24,517	1,033,756
W.A. ..	12,840	4,290	17,130	738,789
Tas. ..	8,495	2,975	11,470	495,329
Total ..	197,126	76,852	273,978	11,762,030

(a) The *Financial Emergency Act* 1931 reduced the maximum pension payments from £1 to 17s. 6d. per week.

76.—WAR PENSIONS AT 30th JUNE, 1935.

Place of payment.	Number of Pensioners.			Total.
	Incapaci-tated Soldiers.	Depend-ants of Deceased Soldiers.	Depend-ants of Incapaci-tated Soldiers.	
N.S.W. ..	25,102	9,457	50,675	85,234
Victoria ..	25,455	9,174	54,938	89,567
Q'land. ..	8,234	2,794	17,217	28,245
S.A. ..	4,079	2,383	8,786	15,248
W.A. ..	7,031	2,334	15,071	24,436
Tas. ..	3,146	1,273	8,104	12,523
London ..	1,664	2,667	3,572	7,903
S. Africa ..	45	26	69	140
N. Zealand	224	163	329	716
Elsewhere..	18	5	26	49
Total ..	74,998	30,276	158,787	264,061
30.6.1934..	75,037	29,719	162,198	266,954

77.—EXPENDITURE ON AUSTRALIAN WAR PENSIONS.

State, &c.	1931-32.	1932-33.	1933-34.	1934-35.
	£	£	£	£
N.S.W.	2,552,380	2,382,007	2,427,115	2,534,888
Vic. ..	2,253,005	2,086,389	2,134,218	2,238,734
Q'land.	817,780	755,447	780,673	807,070
S.A. ..	453,728	421,491	427,365	445,820
W.A. ..	698,356	629,357	627,403	651,797
Tas. ..	339,738	320,586	335,304	361,967
Else- where	325,201	330,553	316,514	319,781
Total ..	7,440,188	6,925,830	7,048,592	7,360,057

78.—COMMONWEALTH MATERNITY ALLOW- ANCE (a)—CLAIMS PASSED FOR PAYMENT.

State.	1931-32.	1932-33.	1933-34.	1934-35.
	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)
N.S.W. ..	36,569	31,699	29,960	30,354
Victoria ..	23,988	20,100	19,499	19,940
Q'land. ..	13,240	11,680	10,780	10,940
S.A. ..	7,637	7,048	6,783	6,409
W.A. ..	6,773	5,879	4,951	5,035
Tas. ..	4,169	3,880	3,788	3,725
N.T. ..	34	25	20	39
Total ..	92,410	80,311	75,781	76,442

(a) The Maternity Allowance Act came into force on the 10th October, 1912, and from that date until 30th June, 1935, 2,800,419 claims were passed for payment. (b) In July, 1931, the allowance was reduced to £4, and paid only where the combined income of husband and wife did not exceed £260 for the previous 12 months. (£208 from 12th Oct., 1932.) In August, 1934, under certain conditions, the maximum allowance payable was raised to £5, and the income limit to £299.

79.—COMMONWEALTH LAND TAX.

Heading.		Assessment Year.		
		1931-32.	1932-33.	1933-34.
No. of Tax-payers	Resident ..	23,193	21,834	20,893
	Absentee ..	2,703	2,423	2,424
	Total ..	25,896	24,257	23,317
,000 OMITTED.				
Unimproved Land Values (b)	Resident £	244,274	236,953	216,348
	Absentee £	1,871	1,913	1,794
	Total £	246,145	238,866	218,142
Tax assessed	Resident £	2,452	1,516	1,107
	Absentee £	22	13	10
	Total £	2,474	1,529	1,117
Area of rural land assessed ; (a) acres		60,625	59,083	59,440
Assessed tax on rural land per acre (a) ..		2.825d.	1.709d.	1.275d.

(a) Exclusive of Crown leaseholds returned by taxpayer.

(b) As

80.—COMMONWEALTH INCOME TAX— 1933-34.(a)

Income.	No. of Tax-payers.	Tax Assessed.	Amount per Taxpayer.	Per-centage of Total Tax As-sessed.
	No.	£	£ s. d.	%
Individuals—				
Under £201	149,366	197,414	1 6 5	3.1
£201 to £500 ..	46,987	374,427	7 19 3	5.9
£501 to £1,000	22,769	656,925	28 17 0	10.4
£1,001 and over ..	13,245	3,079,697	232 10 4	48.8
Total Individuals ..	232,367	4,308,463	18 10 10	68.2
Companies	6,449	2,007,879	311 6 11	31.8
Total ..	238,816	6,316,342	26 9 0	100.0

(a) Assessed on income for year 1932-33.

81.—STATE CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUNDS.

RECEIPTS.

,000 OMITTED.

State.	1929- 30.	1930- 31.	1931- 32.	1932- 33.	1933- 34.
	£	£	£	£	£
N.S.W.(a)	48,792	45,857	45,608	49,329	45,509
Vic.(a)	27,324	25,575	24,555	24,706	24,568
Q'land.	15,998	15,073	12,994	13,397	13,859
S.A. ..	10,551	10,726	10,482	10,161	10,188
W.A. ..	9,750	8,687	8,035	8,332	8,482
Tas. ..	2,956	2,609	2,386	2,522	2,608
Total ..	115,371	108,527	104,060	108,447	105,304
Per head of Popu- lation ..	£17 19 5	£16 14 9	£15 18 3	£16 9 8	£15 17 2

EXPENDITURE.

,000 OMITTED.

State.	1929- 30.	1930- 31.	1931- 32.	1932- 33.	1933- 1934.
	£	£	£	£	£
N.S.W.(a)	53,604	54,609	59,835	52,960	48,925
Vic. (a)	28,497	28,030	26,164	25,548	25,337
Q'land.	16,721	15,915	15,069	14,951	14,988
S.A. ..	12,177	12,540	11,545	11,170	11,032
W.A. ..	10,268	10,107	9,593	9,196	9,271
Tas. ..	2,982	2,854	2,657	2,577	2,746
Total ..	124,249	124,055	124,863	116,402	112,299
Per head of Popu- lation ..	£19 7 1	£19 2 8	£19 1 11	17 13 10	£16 18 2

(a) Including certain Revenue and Expenditure not brought into the Consolidated Fund, such as Railways, Tramways, Sydney Harbour Trust and Motor Taxation in New South Wales, and Motor Taxation in Victoria. (b) Excluding interest paid by Commonwealth on behalf of New South Wales which is included in New South Wales expenditure for 1931-32.

82.—STATE NET LOAN EXPENDITURE. (a)

State.	1931-32.	1932-33.	1933-34.	Aggregate to 30th June, 1934.
	£	£	£	£1,000
N.S.W.	3,387,143	4,319,766	7,003,812	292,655
Vic. ..	1,002,224	2,094,271	2,190,550	191,483
Q'ld. ..	Cr206,351	672,474	1,717,182	106,864
S.A. ..	286,828	641,683	671,466	99,141
W.A. ..	1,267,865	2,048,224	2,563,087	84,685
Tas. ..	26,254	Cr.74,907	118,783	26,341
Total	5,763,963	9,701,511	14,264,880	801,169

(a) Excludes Revenue Deficits, etc.

83.—STATE NET LOAN EXPENDITURE— TOTAL TO 30th JUNE, 1934.

Heads of Expenditure.	Amount.
Public Works—	£
Railways and Tramways ..	356,370,803
Roads, Bridges, Harbours, Rivers and Lights	81,832,943
Water Supply and Sewerage ..	92,250,598
Electricity Supply	24,029,762
Public Buildings	25,672,712
Loans to Local Bodies ..	25,719,449
Unemployment Relief ..	
Commonwealth Services ..	6,525,961
Other Public Works	28,937,637
Primary Production—	
Land Settlement, Soldier Settlement and Advances to settlers	94,179,350
Water Conservation, Irrigation and Drainage	
Agricultural Bank	25,104,003
Mines and Mineral resources ..	7,716,749
Other Primary Production ..	5,722,952
Other Purposes	8,884,181
	18,221,752
Total Works	801,168,852
Non Works—	
Discounts and Flotation expenses and Exchange	23,264,988
Revenue and cash deficits ..	60,184,424
Other	4,685,338
GRAND TOTAL	889,303,602

84.—TAXATION—COMMONWEALTH AND STATE.

Year ended 30th June.	Taxation by Commonwealth Government.		Taxation by State Governments.	Total Taxation.
	Customs and Excise.	Other.		
AMOUNT.				
	£	£	£	£
1924	35,750,784	15,101,699	20,456,382	71,308,865
1925	37,192,781	15,642,909	22,991,314	75,827,004
1926	39,198,878	15,174,127	25,595,849	79,968,854
1927	43,552,478	15,442,331	29,551,078	88,545,887
1928	41,446,730	15,191,128	32,302,607	88,940,465
1929	41,058,571	15,244,918	32,593,850	88,897,339
1930	41,774,391	16,413,384	33,896,926	92,084,701
1931	28,295,073	c22,125,033	35,833,562	86,253,668
1932	28,405,796	c25,553,246	32,748,528	86,707,570
1933	32,992,443	c23,153,593	37,325,609	93,471,645
1934	34,254,842	d22,153,886	34,401,001	90,809,729
1935	37,869,487	d20,885,038	a34,900,000	93,654,525
PER HEAD.				
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	b £ s. d.
1924	6 4 4	2 12 6	3 11 2	12 7 11
1925	6 6 7	2 13 2	3 18 4	12 18 0
1926	6 10 8	2 10 7	4 5 6	13 6 7
1927	7 2 4	2 10 5	4 16 9	14 9 3
1928	6 12 8	2 8 8	5 3 7	14 4 9
1929	6 9 3	2 8 0	5 2 10	13 19 11
1930	6 9 11	2 11 0	5 5 7	14 6 4
1931	4 7 1	c3 8 1	5 10 6	13 5 6
1932	4 6 8	c3 18 0	5 0 2	13 4 8
1933	4 19 11	c3 10 1	5 13 3	14 3 1
1934	5 2 11	d3 6 7	5 3 7	13 12 11
1935	5 13 0	d3 2 4	a5 4 4	b13 19 6

(a) Estimated. (b) Approximate. (c) Sales Tax included under "Other". (d) Sales and Flour Taxes included under "Other".

85.—PUBLIC DEBT.—COMMONWEALTH AND STATES (AT 30th JUNE).

State.	Redeemable.			
	Aus- tralia.	Lon- don.	New York.	Total.
	£'000. (Aust.)	£'000. (Stg.)	£'000. (b)	£'000. (a)
1935—	AMOUNT.			
States—				
N.S.W.	162,290	161,585	13,226	337,101
Victoria	106,522	63,069	4,570	174,161
Q'land.	48,476	63,172	7,199	118,847
S.A. ..	60,197	43,391	1,762	105,350
W.A. ..	42,045	44,496	2,049	88,590
Tas. ..	10,172	13,511	232	23,915
Total ..	429,702	389,224	29,038	847,964
C'wealth ..	220,391	157,233	16,527	394,151
Total Debt—				
1935 ..	650,093	546,457	45,565	1,242,115
1934 ..	629,285	547,325	45,949	1,222,559
1933 ..	607,388	550,799	46,471	1,204,658
1932 ..	586,220	554,528	47,080	1,187,828
1931 ..	556,900	551,545	47,591	1,156,036
	PER HEAD.			
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1935 ..	96 13 4	81 5 2	6 15 6	184 14 0
1934 ..	94 4 5	81 18 11	6 17 7	183 0 11
1933 ..	91 12 1	83 1 5	7 0 2	181 13 8
1932 ..	89 2 6	84 6 1	7 3 2	180 11 9
1931 ..	85 6 5	84 10 0	7 5 10	177 2 3

(a) Total "face" or "book" value of debt, leaving out of account currency changes since the loans were floated. (b) Payable in terms of dollars. For this table dollars have been arbitrarily converted at the rate of \$4.8665 to £1.

86.—MUNICIPAL AND SEMI-GOVERNMENTAL AUTHORITIES—DEBT, 30th JUNE, 1933.

State.	Due to Central Government.	Due to Public Creditor.			Grand Total.
		Aus- tralia.	Over- seas.	Total.	

(A) MUNICIPAL.

	£'000.A.	£'000 A.	£'000(a)	£'000(b)	£'000(b)
N.S.W.c	4,260	25,899	9,303	35,202	39,462
Vic. ..	2,829	12,104	..	12,104	14,933
Qld. (d)	8,926	5,303	9,331	14,634	23,560
S.A. ..	329	799	..	799	1,128
W.A. ..	..	2,654	552	3,206	3,206
Tas. ..	450	1,532	1,185	2,717	3,167
Total	16,794	48,291	20,371	68,662	85,456

(B) SEMI-GOVERNMENTAL AUTHORITIES.

	£'000 A.	£'000 A.	£'000(a)	£'000(b)	£'000(b)
N.S.W.	31,114	5,843	1,499	7,342	38,456
Vic. ..	903	31,736	5,807	37,543	38,446
Qld. ..	2,365	667	..	667	3,032
S.A. ..	5,304	1,372	..	1,372	6,676
W.A. ...	113	80	..	80	193
Tas. ..	738	52	..	52	790
Total	40,537	39,750	7,306	47,056	87,593

(a) London debt expressed in sterling; New York debt arbitrarily converted to £'s. at the rate of \$4.8665 to £1. (b) Total "face" or "book" value of the debt without adjustment on account of currency changes since the loans were floated. (c) 31st December, 1932. (d) 31st December, 1933, except for City of Brisbane figures (30th June, 1934).

87.—MUNICIPAL AND SEMI-GOVERNMENTAL AUTHORITIES—INTEREST PAYABLE, 30th JUNE, 1933.

State.	Payable to Central Govern- ment.	Payable to Public Creditor.			Grand Total.
		Aus- tralia.	Over- seas.	Total.	

(A) MUNICIPAL.

	£'000 A.	£'000 A.	£'000(a)	£'000(a)	£'000(a)
N.S.W.(c)	196	1,183	491	1,674	1,870
Vic. ..	(b)	626	..	626	626e
Qld. (d)	449	245	495	740	1,189
S.A. ..	16	4	34	38	54
W.A. ..	..	153	24	177	177
Tas. ..	25	83	58	141	166
Total	686e	2,294	1,102	3,396	4,082e

(B) SEMI-GOVERNMENTAL AUTHORITIES.

	£'000 A.	£'000 A.	£'000(a)	£'000(a)	£'000(a)
N.S.W.	1,377	259	85	344	1,721
Vic. ..	40	1,644	303	1,947	1,987
Qld. ..	126	36	..	36	162
S.A. ..	248	59	..	59	307
W.A.	6	4	..	4	10
Tas. ..	33	2	..	2	35
Total	1,830	2,004	388	2,392	4,222

(a) Nominal amount of interest payable ignoring exchange. (b) Not available. (c) See Note (c) to previous table. (d) See note (d) to previous table. (e) Incomplete.

88.—JOINT STOCK BANKS.—AVERAGE LIABILITIES AND ASSETS IN AUSTRALIA.

(Exclusive of Commonwealth Bank—*see* Tables
Nos. 89 and 90.)

,000 OMITTED.

Heading.	Average for quarter ended 30th June.		
	1933.	1934.	1935.
	£	£	£
LIABILITIES.			
<i>Australia.</i>			
Notes	181	174	169
Deposits—			
Not bearing interest	89,464	101,854	107,329
Bearing interest ..	190,887	201,218	190,720
Total Deposits ..	280,351	303,072	298,049
Other (Bills, Balances)	3,867	3,901	3,814
Total Liabilities ..	284,399	307,147	302,032
ASSETS.			
Coin and Bullion ..	1,875	1,886	1,906
Australian Notes (a)	39,536	51,973	37,244
Land & Other Property	8,124	8,285	8,754
Government and Municipal Securities ..	53,454	53,042	53,649
Notes, Bills, & Balances	6,193	5,682	4,758
Other (Advances, &c.)	252,805	255,796	273,182
Total Assets ..	361,987	376,664	379,493

(a) Includes cash with Commonwealth Bank.

89.—COMMONWEALTH BANK OF AUSTRALIA— AVERAGE LIABILITIES IN AUSTRALIA.

,000 OMITTED.

Heading.	30th June—		
	1933.	1934.	1935.
Deposits—	£	£	£
Not Bearing Interest	6,336	12,374	11,758
Bearing Interest ..	33,089	28,590	33,542
Total Deposits ..	39,425	40,964	45,300
Other (Bills, Balances)	24,969	38,684	23,910
Total Liabilities (a)	64,394	79,648	69,210

(a) Government "set-off" accounts, interstate, deducted.

90.—COMMONWEALTH BANK OF AUSTRALIA— AVERAGE ASSETS IN AUSTRALIA.

,000 OMITTED.

Heading.	30th June—		
	1933.	1934.	1935.
	£	£	£
Coin and Bullion ..	931	838	813
Australian Notes ..	5,602	6,386	5,011
Land & Other Property	939	911	874
Govt. and Municipal Securities (ab) ..	47,002	45,580	43,837
Notes, Bills, & Balances	99	92	105
Other (Advances, &c.)	7,109	6,919	7,449
Total Assets (b) ..	61,682	60,726	58,089

(a) Includes short term loans in Australia.

(b) Government "set-off" accounts, interstate, deducted.

91.—SAVINGS BANKS DEPOSITS.
(Including Commonwealth Savings Bank.)

State or Territory.	At 30th June—			
	1932.	1933.	1934.	1935.
TOTAL DEPOSITS, £'000.				
New South Wales	71,648	72,308	75,714	77,906
Victoria ..	65,680	67,814	69,972	72,019
Queensland ..	22,952	23,453	24,834	26,197
South Australia	21,567	22,515	23,438	24,185
Western Australia	10,218	10,064	10,399	10,929
Tasmania ..	5,586	5,865	6,039	6,430
Federal Capital Territory ..	275	225	236	230
Northern Territory ..	40	38	44	53
Total ..	197,966	202,282	210,676	217,949

DEPOSITS PER HEAD OF POPULATION.

	£	£	£	£
New South Wales	28.3	27.8	28.9	29.5
Victoria ..	36.4	37.3	38.2	39.2
Queensland ..	23.6	24.7	25.9	27.1
South Australia	36.8	38.8	40.2	41.4
Western Australia	24.2	22.9	23.5	24.5
Tasmania ..	25.3	25.8	26.5	28.1
Federal Capital Territory ..	32.8	25.2	25.4	24.8
Northern Territory ..	9.0	7.9	9.0	10.5
Total ...	30.2	30.5	31.5	32.4

92.—LIFE ASSURANCE.—AUSTRALIAN BUSINESS.

Particulars.	1931.	1932.	1933.
No. of Societies	28	28	27
Receipts £	21,304,795	20,418,299	21,031,276
Expenditure £	16,827,738	15,559,560	15,299,452
Policies exist- ing—			
Ordinary No.	871,089	866,084	877,173
,, Value £	285,164,656	286,188,696	292,469,393
Industrial No.	1,549,877	1,595,347	1,667,531
,, Value £	67,440,828	69,409,234	72,180,800
Premiums Paid (a)—			
Ordinary £	9,424,411	9,354,001	9,703,250
Industrial £	4,081,498	4,049,955	4,133,390
Claims Paid—			
Ordinary £	5,733,128	5,834,098	6,071,545
Industrial £	1,584,875	1,656,710	1,614,375
Assets in Aus- tralia £	148,294,743	153,795,866	158,371,939

(a) Assurance and Endowment Premiums.

93.—FIRE, MARINE AND GENERAL INSURANCE.

SUMMARY FOR STATES, 1933-34.

State.	Prem- iums.(a)	Losses. (b)	Propor- tion of losses on premiums.
	£	£	%
New South Wales	4,449,320	2,003,061	45.02
Victoria ..	3,112,691	1,233,843	39.64
Queensland ..	982,785	333,829	33.97
South Australia ..	807,980	253,238	31.34
Western Australia	872,956	400,446	45.87
Tasmania ..	285,806	126,301	44.19
Total ..	10,511,538	4,350,718	41.39

PRINCIPAL CLASSES OF RISK.

	£	£	%
Fire	5,167,372	1,497,097	28.97
Workers Com- sation ..	1,629,930	1,259,095	77.25
Motor Vehicle ..	1,650,587	818,049	49.56
Marine.. ..	747,194	255,376	34.18
Personal Accident	324,099	135,420	41.78
All other ..	992,356	385,681	38.87
Total ..	10,511,538	4,350,718	41.39

(a) Less re-insurances and returns. (b) Less re-insurances.

94.—FRIENDLY SOCIETIES—SUMMARY, 1933.

State.	No. of Branches.	Average Benefit Mem- bers.	Total No. Weeks Sick Pay Granted.	Total Revenue.
				£
N.S.W. ..	2,452	218,449	462,098	915,808
Vic. ..	1,443	158,718	428,203	826,183
Q'land ..	609	65,678	129,045	303,484
S.A. ..	823	71,704	204,244	361,877
W.A. ..	347	22,399	47,913	110,679
Tas. ..	190	(a)25,007	60,223	118,117
Total ..	5,864	561,955	1,331,726	2,636,148

State.	Sick Pay.	Medical Attendance & Medicine.	Total Expenditure.	Total Funds.
	£	£	£	£
N.S.W. ..	259,351	276,515	825,083	4,225,793
Vic. ..	249,489	222,227	751,287	5,486,050
Q'land ..	87,649	91,203	264,936	1,784,618
S.A. ..	107,196	90,853	318,264	2,518,002
W.A. ..	29,850	29,901	97,258	544,357
Tas. ..	33,658	27,582	110,890	443,281
Total ..	767,193	738,281	2,367,718	15,002,101

(a) Estimated.

95.—CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETIES—YEAR 1933.

Classification.			N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	All States.
Producers'—									
Societies	..	No.	108	63	52	32	3	12	270
Membership	..	'000	47	39	35	7	4	4	136
Income (a)	..	£'000	11,737	5,804	5,673	872	385	412	24,883
Expenditure (a)	..	£'000	11,622	5,494	5,623	737	367	412	24,255
Consumers'—									
Societies	..	No.	53	23	7	7	6	3	99
Membership	..	'000	41	9	23	35	1	1	110
Income (a)	..	£'000	1,823	553	71	738	84	58	3,327
Expenditure (a)	..	£'000	1,743	533	72	709	81	57	3,195
Societies which are both Producers' and Consumers'—									
Societies	..	No.	..	10	9	3	53	..	75
Membership	..	'000	..	5	10	1	14	..	30
Income (a)	..	£'000	..	1,023	1,648	90	1,421	..	4,182
Expenditure (a)	..	£'000	..	1,005	1,624	85	1,407	..	4,121

(a) Income includes Sales, and Expenditure includes Purchases.

96.—ESTIMATE OF THE PRIVATE WEALTH OF
AUSTRALIA AS AT 30th JUNE, 1929.

Classification.	Value.
	£1,000.
Land and Improvements ..	2,251,077
Live Stock	194,045
Agricultural, Dairying, and Pastoral Implements and Machinery ..	56,905
Manufacturing Plant and Machinery	117,572
Mining Properties (including Plant and Machinery)	33,474
Coin and Bullion	47,987
Private Railways and Tramways ..	15,525
Shipping	8,004
Agricultural and Pastoral Products	108,470
Locally Manufactured Products ..	133,466
Mining Products other than Gold ..	2,688
Imported Merchandise	71,824
Clothing and Personal Adornments	31,866
Furniture and Fittings, Books ..	126,785
Motor Vehicles	146,837
Aircraft	139
Wireless Stations	4,799
Total	3,351,463

Private wealth per head, £526.

97—ESTIMATES OF THE PRIVATE WEALTH OF AUSTRALIA, 1915, 1921, 1927, and 1929.

Classification.	Value.			
	1915. (Knibbs.)	1921. (Wickens.)	1927. (Wickens.)	1929. (Wickens.)
	£1,000.	£1,000.	£1,000.	£1,000.
Land & Improve- ments ..	1,105,637	1,361,269	1,998,716	2,251,077
Live Stock	100,391	158,833	196,262	194,045
Coin & Bul- lion ..	44,379	61,216	48,908	47,987
Merchandise & Produce on Hand	147,948	259,901	327,608	316,448
Household Furniture & Personal Property	91,938	136,069	153,613	158,651
Shipping ..	13,331	7,243	8,375	8,004
Mines & Plant Plant,	41,319	34,000	36,945	33,474
Machinery, etc., n.e.i.	74,574	119,655	175,878	190,002
Motor Vehi- cles ..	(a)	27,675	112,812	146,837
Aircraft ..	..	..	61	139
Wireless Stns.	..	..	4,591	4,799
Total ..	1,619,517	2,165,861	3,063,769	3,351,463
Per Head	£327	£397	£497	£526

(a) Included in Household Furniture and Personal Property.

98.—STATE AND PRIVATE SCHOOLS—RETURNS 1933.

State.	Number of Schools.	Teachers.	Scholars Enrolled.	Average Attend- ance.
N.S.W. ^a {S. {P.	3,395 751	12,479 4,682	361,322 94,446	316,404 80,282
Vic. {S. {P.	2,756 508	9,112 2,400	241,274 67,861	215,527 57,900
Q'ld. {S. {P.	1,714 195	4,251 1,199	143,398 28,631	110,962 24,161
S.A. {S. {P.	1,076 180	3,202 856	89,639 13,461	77,350 11,875
W.A. {S. {P.	882 140	2,261 552	59,747 11,631	54,584 10,676
Tas. {S. {P.	514 67	1,263 308	33,463 6,498	30,191 5,008
N.T. {S. {P.	6 1	13 5	357 97	316 82
Total {S. {P.	10,343 1,842	32,581 10,002	929,200 222,625	805,334 189,984

S=State School ; P.=Private School.

(a) Including Federal Capital Territory.

99.—UNIVERSITIES.—TEACHERS AND STUDENTS 1933.

University.	Professors.	Lecturers and Demonstrators.	Students attending Lectures.		
			Matricu- lated.	Non-mat- riculated.	Total.
Sydney ..	47	175	2,615	343	2,958
Melbourne ..	34	143	..	..	a2,890
Queensland (Bris- bane) ..	14	47	757	118	875
Adelaide ..	17	107	1,164	959	b2,123
Western Australia (Perth) ..	14	c39	778	2	780
Tasmania (Hobart)	9	18	174	44	218

(a) Exclusive of 205 music students. (b) Ex-
clusive of 313 music students. (c) Including 21
Part-time Lecturers.

100.—TRADE UNIONS—MEMBERSHIP, 1934.

(At end of year.)

State.	No. of Members of Unions.	Estimated Number of Em- ployees 20 yrs. of age and over. (b)	Percentage of Members on Esti- mated Number of Employees
MALES.			
N.S. Wales (a) ..	273,471	558,582	49.0
Victoria ..	154,011	377,864	40.8
Queensland ..	106,346	199,032	53.4
S. Australia ..	48,531	117,731	41.2
W. Australia ..	46,971	96,245	48.8
Tasmania ..	11,241	41,887	26.8
N. Territory ..	799	1,814	44.0
Total ..	641,370	1,393,155	46.0
FEMALES.			
N.S. Wales (a) ..	40,211	136,363	29.5
Victoria ..	41,866	120,721	34.7
Queensland ..	23,012	45,911	50.1
S. Australia ..	6,589	29,272	22.5
W. Australia ..	7,224	20,706	34.9
Tasmania ..	2,269	10,105	22.5
N. Territory ..	26	177	14.7
Total ..	121,197	363,255	33.4

(a) Includes members in Federal Capital Territory.

(b) Estimated number of Juniors (15-19)—Males, 253,682; Females, 158,863.

101.—UNEMPLOYMENT—TRADE UNIONS, AUSTRALIA.

Year.	Unions making Returns.		Unemployed.	
	No.	Member-ship.	No.	Per-centage.
1924 Average.	413	397,613	35,507	8.9
1925 "	380	391,380	34,620	8.8
1926 "	374	415,397	29,326	7.1
1927 "	375	445,985	31,032	7.0
1928 "	375	423,422	45,669	10.8
1929 "	382	424,093	47,359	11.1
1930 "	395	438,874	84,767	19.3
1931 "	397	430,004	117,866	27.4
1932 "	395	415,434	120,454	29.0
1933 "	394	415,305	104,035	25.1
1934 "	394	424,035	86,865	20.5

102.—UNEMPLOYMENT—TRADE UNIONS, STATES.

State.	1930.	1931.	1932.	1933.	1934.
	%	%	%	%	%
New South Wales ..	21.7	30.8	32.5	28.9	24.7
Victoria ..	18.3	25.8	26.5	22.3	17.4
Queensland ..	10.7	16.2	18.8	15.3	11.7
South Australia ..	23.3	32.5	34.0	29.9	25.6
Western Australia ..	19.2	27.3	29.5	24.8	17.8
Tasmania ..	19.1	27.4	26.4	19.1	17.9
Australia ..	19.3	27.4	29.0	25.1	20.5

103.—EMPLOYERS' ASSOCIATIONS—NUMBER AND MEMBERSHIP, DECEMBER, 1934.

State.	No. of Associations.	No. of Branches.	Membership.
New South Wales (a)	134	810	58,447
Victoria	157	520	38,276
Queensland	74	135	18,943
South Australia ..	60	15	6,765
Western Australia ..	54	301	10,464
Tasmania	26	8	2,035
Total ..	505	1,789	134,930

(a) Includes 1 Association in Federal Capital Territory.

104.—RETAIL PRICE INDEX-NUMBERS—CAPITAL CITIES.

"B" SERIES.

Index-numbers showing variation in the Cost of Food, Groceries, and Housing (4 and 5 rooms only), with weighted average cost in the Six Capital Cities during the period 1923-1927 as base (= 1,000).

Capital Cities.	1907.	1914.	1933.	1934.
Sydney ..	548	687	822	840
Melbourne ..	495	616	742	769
Brisbane ..	442	554	690	713
Adelaide ..	524	671	716	742
Perth ..	594	679	768	802
Hobart ..	508	621	792	814
Weighted Aver. Capital Cities	520	648	768	792

105.—RETAIL PRICES—CAPITAL CITIES.**" B " SERIES.**

(Food, Groceries, and Housing—4 and 5 rooms only.)
Comparative Amounts necessary to purchase in the Capital Cities what would have cost on the average £1 during the period 1923–1927, in the Capitals as a whole.

Capital Cities.	1907.	1914.	1933.	1934.
	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>
Sydney ..	11 0	13 9	16 5	16 10
Melbourne ..	9 11	12 4	14 10	15 5
Brisbane ..	8 10	11 1	13 10	14 3
Adelaide ..	10 6	13 5	14 4	14 10
Perth ..	11 11	13 7	15 4	16 1
Hobart ..	10 2	12 5	15 10	16 3
Weighted Aver. Capital Cities	10 5	13 0	15 4	15 10

106.—RETAIL PRICE INDEX-NUMBERS—CAPITAL CITIES.**" A " SERIES.**

Index-numbers showing variation in the Cost of Food, Groceries, and Housing (All Houses), with weighted average cost in the Six Capital Cities for the year 1911 as base (=1,000).

Capital Cities.	1907.	1911.	1933.	1934.
Sydney ..	926	1,031	1,439	1,468
Melbourne ..	875	950	1,319	1,367
Brisbane ..	794	915	1,214	1,254
Adelaide ..	894	1,058	1,235	1,275
Perth ..	936	1,126	1,271	1,326
Hobart ..	886	954	1,389	1,418
Weighted Aver. Capital Cities	897	1,000	1,345	1,385

107.—RETAIL PRICE INDEX-NUMBERS— THIRTY TOWNS.

2nd Quarter, 1935.

" B " SERIES.

Index-numbers showing variation in the Cost of Food, Groceries, and Housing (4 and 5 rooms only), with weighted average cost in the Six Capital Cities during the period 1923-1927 as base (= 1,000).

Towns.	Index No.	Towns.	Index No.
N.S. WALES—		S. AUST.— <i>cont.</i>	
Sydney ..	845	Port Pirie ..	749
Newcastle ..	843	Mt. Gambier ..	715
Broken Hill ..	831	Peterborough ..	755
Goulburn ..	825	Weighted Av.	759
Bathurst ..	806		
Weighted Av.	844	W. AUSTRALIA—	
VICTORIA—		Perth &c. ..	814
Melbourne ..	802	Kalgoorlie &c. ..	1,004
Ballarat ..	757	Northam ..	827
Bendigo ..	769	Bunbury ..	842
Geelong ..	805	Geraldton ..	884
Warrnambool ..	830	Weighted Av.	830
Weighted Av.	800		
QUEENSLAND—		TASMANIA—	
Brisbane ..	736	Hobart ..	826
Toowoomba ..	729	Launceston ..	788
Rockhampton ..	718	Burnie ..	784
Charters T'w'rs ..	720	Devonport ..	782
Warwick ..	704	Queenstown ..	841
Weighted Av.	733	Weighted Av.	811
S. AUSTRALIA—			
Adelaide ..	763	WEIGHTED AV.	
Kadina, &c. ..	689	30 TOWNS	809
		WEIGHTED AV.	
		6 CAPITALS	810

108.—RETAIL PRICE INDEX-NUMBERS—CAPITAL CITIES.

"C" SERIES. (a)

Index-numbers showing variation in the Cost of Food, Groceries, Housing (4 and 5 rooms only), Clothing, Fuel and Light and other Miscellaneous Expenditure, with Weighted Average Cost in the Six Capital Cities during the period 1923-1927 as base (= 1,000).

Capital Cities.	November.		Year.	
	1914.	1920.	1933.	1934.
Sydney ..	712	1,193	832	842
Melbourne ..	671	1,172	789	801
Brisbane ..	611	1,054	751	762
Adelaide ..	699	1,164	789	806
Perth	707	1,111	811	830
Hobart ..	687	1,213	825	837
Weighted Average, Capital Cities ..	687	1,166	804	817

(a) Adopted by Commonwealth Court of Conciliation and Arbitration from 1st May, 1934, for the fixation and adjustment of all wages controlled by Court.

109.—RETAIL PRICE INDEX-NUMBERS— THIRTY TOWNS.

2nd Quarter, 1935.

"C" SERIES. (a)

Index-numbers showing variation in the cost of Food, Groceries, Housing (4 and 5 rooms only), Clothing and other Miscellaneous Expenditure, with weighted average cost in the Six Capital Cities during the period 1923-1927 as base (= 1,000).

Towns.	Index No.	Towns.	Index No.
N.S. WALES—		S. AUST.—cont.	
Sydney ..	844	Port Pirie ..	789
Newcastle ..	852	Mt. Gambler ..	804
Broken Hill ..	818	Peterborough ..	833
Goulburn ..	854	Weighted Av.	816
Bathurst ..	813	W. AUSTRALIA—	
Weighted Av.	844	Perth, &c. ..	837
VICTORIA—		Kalgoorlie &c. ..	1,011
Melbourne ..	820	Northam ..	831
Ballarat ..	797	Bunbury ..	870
Bendigo ..	824	Geraldton ..	887
Geelong ..	822	Weighted Av.	851
Warrnambool ..	850	TASMANIA—	
Weighted Av.	820	Hobart ..	850
QUEENSLAND—		Launceston ..	834
Brisbane ..	776	Burnie ..	790
Toowoomba ..	790	Devonport ..	795
Rockhampton ..	770	Queenstown ..	878
Charters T'w'rs ..	778	Weighted Av.	842
Warwick ..	760	WEIGHTED AV.	
Weighted Av.	776	30 TOWNS ..	827
S. AUSTRALIA—		WEIGHTED AV.	
Adelaide ..	819	6 CAPITALS ..	827
Kadina, &c. ..	759		

(a) See footnote on preceding page.

110.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES—CAPITAL CITIES—QUARTER ENDED 30th JUNE, 1935.

Commodity.		Sydney.	Melbourne.	Brisbane.	Adelaide.	Perth.	Hobart.
		d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.
Bread ..	2 lb.	5 $\frac{1}{4}$	4 $\frac{3}{4}$	5	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	5	4
Flour, ordinary	25 "	45 $\frac{1}{2}$	43	48 $\frac{3}{4}$	42 $\frac{3}{4}$	44	36 $\frac{1}{4}$
" self-raising	2 "	5 $\frac{3}{4}$	5 $\frac{3}{4}$	7	5 $\frac{3}{4}$	7	5 $\frac{3}{4}$
Tea ..	1 "	26 $\frac{3}{4}$	26 $\frac{3}{4}$	26	27 $\frac{1}{2}$	27 $\frac{1}{2}$	27 $\frac{1}{2}$
Sugar ..	1 "	4	4	4	4	4	4
Rice ..	1 "	3	3 $\frac{1}{4}$	3 $\frac{1}{4}$	3	3 $\frac{1}{4}$	3 $\frac{1}{2}$
Sago ..	1 "	3 $\frac{1}{4}$	3	3	3	3 $\frac{1}{4}$	3 $\frac{1}{2}$
Jam ..	1 $\frac{1}{2}$ "	9 $\frac{1}{4}$	8 $\frac{1}{2}$	8 $\frac{3}{4}$	8 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	10
Golden Syrup	2 "	6 $\frac{1}{2}$	7	6 $\frac{3}{4}$	6 $\frac{1}{4}$	7 $\frac{1}{2}$	7 $\frac{1}{2}$
Oatmeal ..	1 "	2 $\frac{1}{2}$	2 $\frac{1}{2}$	2 $\frac{3}{4}$	2 $\frac{1}{4}$	3	3 $\frac{1}{4}$
Raisins ..	1 "	9	9	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	7	9 $\frac{1}{4}$	9
Currants ..	1 "	8 $\frac{1}{4}$	8 $\frac{1}{4}$	8 $\frac{3}{4}$	7 $\frac{1}{2}$	8 $\frac{1}{2}$	9
Apricots, dried	1 "	11 $\frac{3}{4}$	13	12 $\frac{3}{4}$	11 $\frac{3}{4}$	11 $\frac{3}{4}$	12 $\frac{1}{2}$
Peaches, canned	2 "	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	8 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	8 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{4}$	10 $\frac{3}{4}$
Pears, canned	2 "	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	11 $\frac{1}{4}$	9	11 $\frac{1}{4}$	10
Salmon, in tins	1 "	14 $\frac{1}{2}$	16 $\frac{1}{2}$	13 $\frac{1}{2}$	12	13 $\frac{1}{2}$	13 $\frac{1}{2}$
Potatoes ..	14 "	20 $\frac{1}{2}$	13 $\frac{3}{4}$	19 $\frac{1}{4}$	15 $\frac{1}{4}$	16	17 $\frac{1}{2}$
Onions ..	1 "	1 $\frac{3}{4}$	1 $\frac{1}{2}$	1 $\frac{3}{4}$	1 $\frac{1}{2}$	2	2
Soap ..	1 "	4 $\frac{1}{4}$	4 $\frac{1}{4}$	3 $\frac{1}{2}$	4	4 $\frac{1}{4}$	5
Candles ..	1 "	11	11 $\frac{1}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	11 $\frac{3}{4}$	11 $\frac{1}{4}$
Kerosene ..	1 gal.	18 $\frac{3}{4}$	19 $\frac{1}{4}$	16 $\frac{1}{4}$	16 $\frac{3}{4}$	20 $\frac{1}{2}$	27
Milk, fresh	1 quart	7 $\frac{1}{4}$	6	5 $\frac{1}{2}$	5 $\frac{3}{4}$	6 $\frac{3}{4}$	5 $\frac{1}{2}$
Butter ..	1 lb.	17	17	16	17	18 $\frac{1}{4}$	16 $\frac{3}{4}$
Cheese ..	1 "	11 $\frac{1}{4}$	11 $\frac{1}{4}$	11	10 $\frac{1}{4}$	12	10 $\frac{1}{2}$
Milk, condensed	1-tin	7 $\frac{1}{4}$	7 $\frac{1}{4}$	8 $\frac{1}{4}$	7 $\frac{3}{4}$	9	9
Eggs ..	1-doz.	22	21	20 $\frac{1}{2}$	18	25 $\frac{1}{2}$	22 $\frac{3}{4}$

110.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES—CAPITAL
CITIES—QUARTER ENDED 30th JUNE,
1935—continued.

Commodity.			Sydney.	Melbourne.	Brisbane.	Adelaide.	Perth.	Hobart.
			d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.
Bacon, rashers	1 lb.		12 $\frac{3}{4}$	15 $\frac{1}{4}$	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	14 $\frac{1}{2}$	14 $\frac{1}{2}$	12 $\frac{1}{2}$
Ham, uncooked	1 "		16 $\frac{3}{4}$	16 $\frac{1}{2}$	17	17 $\frac{1}{4}$	18 $\frac{1}{4}$	14 $\frac{1}{2}$
Beef, Sirloin	1 "		8 $\frac{3}{4}$	7 $\frac{3}{4}$	6 $\frac{3}{4}$	7 $\frac{3}{4}$	8	8 $\frac{1}{4}$
" Ribs	1 "		6 $\frac{1}{4}$	6 $\frac{1}{4}$	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	6	6 $\frac{3}{4}$	6 $\frac{3}{4}$
Steak, Rump	1 "		12 $\frac{1}{2}$	12 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{1}{4}$	11 $\frac{1}{4}$	13 $\frac{1}{2}$	12 $\frac{1}{4}$
" Stewing	1 "		5 $\frac{1}{4}$	5 $\frac{1}{2}$	4	7 $\frac{1}{4}$	6 $\frac{3}{4}$	6 $\frac{1}{2}$
Sausages	1 "		5 $\frac{1}{4}$	5 $\frac{1}{4}$	5 $\frac{1}{2}$	5	5 $\frac{1}{4}$	6
Beef, Corn Round	1 "		7	7 $\frac{1}{4}$	5 $\frac{3}{4}$	7 $\frac{3}{4}$	7 $\frac{1}{4}$	7 $\frac{3}{4}$
" Brisket with bone	1 "		3 $\frac{1}{2}$	3 $\frac{1}{4}$	2 $\frac{1}{2}$	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	4	4 $\frac{3}{4}$
Mutton, Leg	1 "		6 $\frac{1}{2}$	6	6 $\frac{1}{4}$	7	6 $\frac{3}{4}$	7 $\frac{1}{4}$
" Shoulder	1 "		4 $\frac{3}{4}$	3 $\frac{3}{4}$	4	5 $\frac{3}{4}$	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	5
" Loin	1 "		7	5 $\frac{3}{4}$	6	6 $\frac{3}{4}$	6 $\frac{1}{2}$	6 $\frac{1}{2}$
" Loin chops	1 "		7 $\frac{1}{2}$	6 $\frac{3}{4}$	6 $\frac{1}{2}$	7 $\frac{3}{4}$	6 $\frac{1}{2}$	8 $\frac{1}{4}$
" Leg chops	1 "		7 $\frac{1}{4}$	7	6 $\frac{3}{4}$	8	6 $\frac{3}{4}$	8 $\frac{1}{4}$
Pork, Leg	1 "		10 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{1}{4}$	9	9 $\frac{1}{4}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$
" Loin	1 "		10 $\frac{3}{4}$	10	9	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{1}{4}$	10
" Chops	1 "		10 $\frac{1}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	9	10	9 $\frac{1}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{4}$
" Sausages	1 "		7 $\frac{1}{2}$	7 $\frac{1}{4}$	6	7	6 $\frac{3}{4}$	8 $\frac{1}{4}$

III.—AVERAGE RENTS (4 AND 5 ROOMS ONLY)—CAPITAL CITIES—QUARTER ENDED 30th JUNE, 1935.

City.	4 Rooms.				5 Rooms.				Weighted Average 4 and 5 Rooms.	
	Wood.		Brick.		Wood.		Brick.			
	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
Sydney ..	15	3	17	11	18	10	21	7	19	5
Melbourne	15	4	16	6	19	11	22	0	18	8
Brisbane	13	5	..		17	3	..		15	10
Adelaide	..		13	5	..		13	5	16	2
Perth ..	13	5	16	11	16	4	21	0	17	4
Hobart ..	16	8	17	4	21	4	22	2	19	6

112.—MELBOURNE WHOLESALE PRICE INDEX- NUMBERS.

(Computed on Year 1911 as Base = 1,000.)

Group.	Year.			
	1913.	1932.	1933.	1934.
1. Metals and Coal	1,046	1,736	1,713	1,660
2. Jute, Leather, Wool, &c. ..	1,070	1,000	1,118	1,261
3. Agricultural Produce, &c.	1,097	1,230	1,175	1,288
4. Dairy Produce	1,054	1,303	1,195	1,274
5. Groceries ..	1,024	1,767	1,714	1,735
6. Meat ..	1,252	1,348	1,487	1,540
7. Building Ma- terials ..	1,128	2,043	2,061	2,015
8. Chemicals ..	995	2,127	2,106	2,018
All Groups ..	1,088	1,411	1,409	1,471

113.—WEEKLY RATES OF WAGE FOR A FULL WEEK'S WORK—31st MARCH, 1935.

(The rates specified are in most cases the minimum rates payable under Awards and Industrial Agreements.)

Occupations.	Sydney.	Melbourne.	Brisbane.	Adelaide.	Perth.	Hobart.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Bakers {	104a 6	100 10	92a 0	85 0	89a 3	89 6
	109a 6	110 10	104a 6	90 0	94a 3	102 0
Blacksmiths	93a 0	91a 0	101a 4	89a 0	90a 3	93a 0
Boilermakers	92a 0	90a 0	97a 8	88a 0	90a 3	92a 0
Bootmakers—						
Males..	81a 0	81a 0	81a 0	81a 0	83a 10	81a 0
Females	41a 9	41a 9	41a 9	41a 9	44a 3	41a 9
Bricklayers	102a 8	106a 4	109a 6	98a 1	98a 3	95a 11
Brassfinishers	83a 0	82a 0	97a 8	80a 0	90a 3	84a 0
	to	to		to		to
	92a 0	90a 0	..	88a 0	..	92a 0
Cabinet Makers	93a 6	90 0	102a 8	86 0	90a 3	90 0
Carpenters	110a 0	98a 6	109a 6	96a 6	105a 4	100a 6
Coachmakers	92 0	90 0	98a 0	88 0	90 3	92 0
Compositors ..	90a 0	90a 0	101a 0	90a 0	90a 0	90a 0
Fitters	92a 0	90a 0	97a 8	88a 0	90a 3	92a 0

See footnotes on next page.

113.—WEEKLY RATES OF WAGE—*continued.*

Occupations.	Sydney.		Melbourne.		Brisbane.		Adelaide.		Perth.		Hobart.	
	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
French Polishers	93a	6	90	0	102a	8	86	0	87a	10	90	0
Jewel- lers {	87a	6	85	0	86a	6	80c	0	95a	0	80	0
	90a	0	..	..	91a	6	88c	0	..	..	85	0
Painters	100a	10	97a	2	109a	6	90a	2	97a	7	84a	0
Pastry- cooks {	91a	6	100	0	102a	0	85	0	91	0	85	0
	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	98	3	..	..
Pattern-makers	101a	0	99a	0	103a	0	97a	0	97a	5	101a	0
Plasterers	102a	8	101a	9	109a	6	98a	1	106a	6	92a	3
Plum- bers {	111a	10	99a	0	109a	6	97a	2	99a	9	92a	8
	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	114a	8
Saddlers	87	0	87	0	87	0	82	0	90	3	87	0
Tailors	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Order..	86a	0	86a	0	86a	0	86a	0	90a	0	86a	0
Tailor- esses {	43a	0	43a	0	43a	0	43a	0	46a	11	43a	0

Order	48a	6	48a	6	48a	6	48a	6	56a	3	48a	6
Tin- smiths {	88a	0	79	0	91a	2	79	6	92	5	91a	8
	..	..	88	0	..	..	86	6	100	11	..	..
Wharf La- bourersb	2	5	2	5	2	5	2	5	2	5	2	5
	..	..	..	..	to 2	10	..	..	..	..	..	..

The hours of labour constituting a full week's work are 48, with the following exceptions:—(a) Forty-four hours per week. (b) Rate per hour. (c) 46½ hours per week.

114.—WEEKLY BASIC WAGE—DECLARATIONS OF STATE TRIBUNALS.

State.	Basic Wage.		Date of Operation.	Family Unit for Male Rate.
	Males.	Females.		
N.S.W.	<i>s. d.</i> 68 6 <i>a</i>	<i>s. d.</i> 37 0	1.5.35	Man, wife, 1 child
Vic. ..	(<i>b</i>)	(<i>b</i>)	..	(<i>b</i>)
Q'land.	74 0	39 0	1.7.31	Man, wife, 3 children
S.A. ..	63 0	31 6	M 17.8.31 F 4.12.31	"
W.A. ..	70 6 <i>c</i>	33 1 <i>c</i>		Man, wife, 2 children
Tas. ..	(<i>b</i>)	(<i>b</i>)	..	(<i>b</i>)

(*a*) Plus child allowances. (*b*) Not declared. Federal rate is followed to large extent. (*c*) Metropolitan area.

115.—Weekly Basic Wage Rates (*a*)—Commonwealth Court of Conciliation and Arbitration at 1.9.1935.

"Restoration"
Wage.
s. d.

Sydney ..	..	..	68 0
Melbourne ..	..	..	66 0
Brisbane ..	..	..	62 0
Adelaide ..	..	..	65 0
Perth ..	..	..	68 0
Hobart ..	..	..	69 0
Six Capitals ..	..	..	66 0

(*a*) Family unit—man, wife, and two children. Female rate generally 54 per cent. of male rate.

116.—NOMINAL WEEKLY WAGE INDEX- NUMBERS, ADULT MALES.

(Weighted average weekly wage for Australia in
1911 (51s. 3d.) = 1,000.)

State.	1901.	31st March, 1933.	31st March, 1934.	31st March, 1935.
N. S. Wales	858	1,653	1,598	1,624
Victoria ..	796	1,492	1,503	1,548
Queensland	901	1,718	1,718	1,733
S. Australia	819	1,404	1,435	1,480
W. Australia	1,052	1,582	1,586	1,641
Tasmania ..	719	1,516	1,524	1,563
Weighted Average	848	1,585	1,572	1,604

117.—NOMINAL WEEKLY WAGE INDEX- NUMBERS, ADULT MALES—INDUSTRIAL GROUPS, AUSTRALIA.

(Weighted average weekly wage for Australia in
1911 (51s. 3d.) = 1,000.)

Industrial Group.	31st March, 1933.	31st March, 1934.	31st March, 1935.
Wood, Furniture, &c. ..	1,612	1,612	1,676
Engineering, Metal Works, &c. ..	1,577	1,591	1,634
Food, Drink, &c. ..	1,634	1,621	1,636
Clothing, Hats, Boots, &c. ..	1,498	1,482	1,559
Books, Printing, &c. ..	1,895	1,902	1,943
Other Manufacturing ..	1,551	1,549	1,593
Building ..	1,818	1,800	1,836
Mining, Quarries, &c. ..	1,903	1,894	1,908
Railway Services, &c. ..	1,567	1,570	1,626
Other Land Transport ..	1,511	1,500	1,549
Shipping, &c. ..	1,525	1,577	1,672
Agriculture, &c. ..	1,460	1,404	1,431
Household, Hotels, &c. ..	1,483	1,461	1,484
Miscellaneous ..	1,520	1,511	1,534
Weighted Average ..	1,585	1,572	1,604

(a) Family unit—man, wife, and two children.
Female rate generally 84 per cent. of male rate.

118.—WEEKLY HOURS INDEX-NUMBERS, ADULT MALES—AUSTRALIA.

(Weighted Average Hours for Australia at 30th April,
1914 (48.93) = 1,000.)

State.	30th April, 1914.	31st Dec., 1932.	31st Dec., 1933.	31st Dec., 1934.
New South Wales	1,010	903	904	904
Victoria ..	997	958	957	957
Queensland ..	997	919	899	899
South Australia	993	957	957	957
Western Australia	976	930	930	930
Tasmania ..	994	955	956	956
Weighted Average	1,000	930	927	927

119.—REAL(a) WEEKLY WAGE INDEX- NUMBERS, ADULT MALES.

(Weighted average weekly wage for Australia in
1911 (51s. 3d.) = 1,000.)

State.	1901.	1932.	1933.	1934.
New South Wales	961	1,150	1,138	1,101
Victoria ..	915	1,126	1,139	1,114
Queensland ..	1,172	1,376	1,416	1,377
South Australia	948	1,133	1,152	1,144
Western Australia	1,024	1,212	1,246	1,221
Tasmania ..	827	1,067	1,094	1,086
Weighted Average	964	1,168	1,170	1,148

(a) Nominal wage index-numbers (assuming full work) corrected by application of retail price index-numbers ("A" Series).

120.—REAL(a) WAGE INDEX-NUMBERS, ADULT MALES—AUSTRALIA.

Year.	Nominal Wage Index No.	Per- centage Unem- ployed.	Retail Price Index No.	(a) Real Wage Index-numbers.	
				Full Work.	Allow- ing for Lost Time.
1901	848	6.6	880	964	945
1911	1,000	4.7	1,000	1,000	1,000
1914	1,081	8.3	1,140	948	912
1915	1,092	9.3	1,278	854	813
1916	1,144	5.8	1,324	864	854
1917	1,226	7.1	1,318	930	907
1918	1,270	5.8	1,362	932	921
1919	1,370	6.6	1,510	907	889
1920	1,627	6.5	1,785	911	894
1921	1,826	11.2	1,697	1,076	1,002
1922	1,801	9.3	1,600	1,126	1,072
1923	1,805	7.1	1,700	1,062	1,035
1924	1,840	8.9	1,681	1,095	1,046
1925	1,861	8.8	1,722	1,081	1,034
1926	1,914	7.1	1,786	1,072	1,045
1927	1,946	7.0	1,766	1,102	1,075
1928	1,963	10.8	1,760	1,115	1,044
1929	1,972	11.1	1,822	1,082	1,009
1930	1,939	19.3	1,683	1,152	976
1931	1,752	27.4	1,479	1,185	903
1932	1,639	29.0	1,403	1,168	870
1933	1,584	25.1	1,345	1,170	926
1934	1,590	20.5	1,385	1,148	957

(a) Nominal wages corrected by application of retail price index-numbers ("A" Series).

NOTE.—For years prior to 1914, the nominal wage index-numbers and the percentage unemployed relate to the end of the year only; but from 1914 onward these figures, in addition to those for retail prices, are averages for the whole year.

121.—INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES—STATES AND AUSTRALIA.

State.	No. of Dis- putes.	Work- people In- volved.	Work- ing Days Lost.	Esti- mated Loss in Wages.
1934.				
£				
N.S. Wales ..	116	35,944	213,753	196,265
Victoria ..	19	8,428	108,872	82,438
Queensland ..	7	2,873	29,718	24,200
S. Australia ..	1	44	11	17
W. Australia ..	10	3,485	17,792	14,699
Tasmania ..	..	..	..	..
N. Territory ..	1	20	240	240
F.C. Territory	..	..	..	..
Australia	1934	154	50,794	370,386
	1933	90	30,113	111,956
	1932	127	32,917	212,318
	1931	134	37,667	245,991
	1930	183	54,222	1,511,241
	1929	259	104,604	4,461,478
	1928	287	96,422	777,278
	1927	441	200,757	1,713,581
	1926	360	113,034	1,310,261
	1925	499	176,746	1,128,570
	1924	504	152,446	918,646
	1923	274	76,321	1,145,977
	1922	445	116,332	858,685
	1921	624	165,101	1,286,185
	1920	554	155,566	3,587,267
	1919	460	157,591	4,303,738
				2,618,828

122.—DEFENCE FORCES—AUSTRALIA.

Naval Forces (15th February, 1935).

Description of Force.	Numbers Borne.		
	In Training.	Officers.	Men.
R.A.N. (Sea-going) ..	..	350	3,600
R.A.N. Auxiliary Forces ..	..	33	147
Cadet Midshipmen at R.A.N. College ..	47	..	..
Royal Australian Naval Reserve (Sea-going) ..	..	51	..
R.A. Fleet Reserve ..	..	..	267
R.A.N. Reserve ..	..	247	4,419
Royal Australian Naval Volunteer Reserve ..	..	67	70
Total	47	748	8,503

Military Forces (31st March, 1935).

Branch of Service.	No.
Permanent Forces	1,800
Militia Forces	27,462
Engineer and Railway Staff Corps ..	55
Unattached List of Officers	279
Reserve of Officers	5,734
Chaplains	255
Total	35,585

R.A. Air Force (31st March, 1935).

Branch..	Officers.	Airmen.
	No.	No.
Permanent Air Force	126	946
Citizen Air Force	48	330

123.—CONSUMPTION OF SPIRITS, BEER, AND TOBACCO—AUSTRALIA.

Items.	1932-33.	1933-34.
Spirits—		
Total consumed .. gals.	1,147,320	1,280,326
Consumption per head „	0.171	0.192
Estimated cost (a) £	4,417,182	4,929,255
Cost per head (a) .. £	0 13 5	0 14 10
Duty and Excise paid(b) £	2,380,414	2,097,137
Beer—		
Total consumed .. gals.	49,079,423	53,396,097
Consumption per head „	7.43	8.02
Estimated cost (a) £	9,815,885	10,679,219
Cost per head (a) .. £	1 9 9	1 12 1
Duty and Excise paid(b) £	4,914,640	4,813,488
Tobacco (all kinds)—		
Total consumed .. lb.	18,460,806	18,771,076
Consumption per head „	2.796	2.812
Estimated cost (a) £	11,278,498	11,765,111
Cost per head (a) .. £	1 14 2	1 15 3
Duty and Excise paid(b) £	7,846,924	8,096,900

(a) The "cost" is reckoned at the wholesale prices of spirits, beer and unmanufactured tobacco, including all duties of customs and excise, which amount to rather more than half of the total "cost", as shown in the table, for spirits, beer and tobacco together. (b) Gross collections.

NOTE.—The consumption of wine is estimated to be about 0.82 gallon per head per annum.

124.—CONSUMPTION OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES IN AUSTRALIA.

Average Annual Consumption per Head of Population.

Commodity.	1904 to 1913.	1914-15 to 1920-21.	1921-22 to 1925-26.	1926-27 to 1930-31.
	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
Wheat ..	320	376	378	380
Flour ..	210	220	211	204
Oats ..	101	73	75	60
Rice ..	11	6½	7	9
Barley ..	28	31	29	34
Maize ..	125	92	95	76
Potatoes ..	(a)	126	121	112
Sugar ..	121	117	118	122
Jam ..	17	14	11	12
Beef ..	121	110	132	117
Mutton and Lamb ..	83	69	66	72
Bacon and Ham	9	10	11	12
Fish, Preserved	4¾	3	4	4
Butter ..	21	25	28	30
Cheese ..	3½	3½	4	4
Condensed Milk	4½	6½	6	(b)
Tea ..	7½	8	8	7½
Coffee ..	½	½	½	½
Tobacco ..	2⅞	3	4	3½
	gal.	gal.	gal.	gal.
Kerosene ..	4½	4	4½	8
Motor Spirit ..	2	4	13	33

In regard to agricultural products, the figures quoted are in all cases exclusive of the quantities (if any) used for seed purposes, but include amounts used for all other purposes. (a) The estimate for potatoes for this period is dubious. (b) Not available.

CHRONOLOGICAL TABLE—AUSTRALIA.

- 1770—Captain Cook's first voyage to Australia.
 1788—"First Fleet" arrived Botany Bay. Settlement at Sydney.
 1796—Coal discovered, Newcastle.
 1797—Merino Sheep introduced from Cape Colony.
 1798—Bass and Flinders proved Tasmania an island.
 1802—Murray discovered Port Phillip.
 1803—Capt. Macarthur took first wool to England. Settlement at Risdon, Tasmania.
 1804—Settlement at Hobart.
 1810—First Post Office, Sydney.
 1814—Creation of Civil Courts, New South Wales. Australia received present name.
 1817—First Bank, New South Wales.
 1823—First Australian Constitution. Gold discovered, Fish River, New South Wales.
 1824—N.S.W. a Crown Colony.
 1825—Tasmania an independent Colony.
 1826—Military Settlement at King George's Sound.
 1829—Foundation of Perth, W.A.
 1831—First assisted immigration, New South Wales.
 1834—South Australia a separate Colony.
 1835—Batman selected site of Melbourne.
 1836—Settlement at Adelaide.
 1839—Strzelecki discovered gold, New South Wales.
 1841—New Zealand separated from New South Wales.
 1842—Representative Government, N.S.W. Copper discovered, Kapunda, South Australia.
 1850—Representative Govt., Vic., S.A., and Tas.
 1851—Victoria a separate Colony. Gold discovered.
 1854—Goldfields Riots, Ballarat, Eureka Stockade.
 1857—Manhood Suffrage, Victoria.
 1858—Manhood Suffrage, New South Wales.
 1859—Queensland a separate Colony.
 1860—Copper discovered, Wallaroo and Moonta, S.A.
 1867—Prot. Tariff, Vic. Gold disc., Gympie, Qld.
 1871—Tin discovered, Mt. Bischoff, Tasmania.

CHRONOLOGICAL TABLE—AUSTRALIA— *continued.*

- 1872—Cable from Java to Darwin.
- 1878—Telephone introduced into Australia.
- 1881—First Australian Census. Population, 2,250,194.
- 1883—Silver discovered, Broken Hill.
- 1886—Gold and copper discovered, Mt. Lyell, Tas.
- 1890—Responsible Government, W.A.
- 1892—Gold discovered, Coolgardie, W.A.
- 1893—Financial Crisis.
- 1894—Adult Suffrage, South Australia.
- 1895—Free-trade Tariff; Land and Income Taxes, N.S.W.
- 1898—Federal Constitution Bill, N.S.W., Vic., S.A., and Tas. Rejected, N.S.W.
- 1899—South African War. Australian Contingents. Federal Constitution Bill accepted.
- 1900—Old-age Pensions, New South Wales.
- 1901—Commonwealth proclaimed, Sydney. Federal Parliament opened, Melb., by Duke of York. Population, 3,773,801.
- 1902—First Federal Tariff.
- 1903—Inauguration of Federal High Court.
- 1906—Wireless telegraph, Vic. and Tas. Papua taken over by Commonwealth.
- 1907—Imperial Conference, London. New Customs Tariff; preference to U.K. Telephone trunk line between Sydney and Melbourne.
- 1908—Yass-Canberra site chosen for Federal Capital. Visit of U.S. Fleet.
- 1909—Imperial Defence Conference, London.
- 1910—Penny postage. Yarra and Parramatta arrive. Australian Notes issued.
- 1911—First Commonwealth Census. Northern Territory transferred to Commonwealth. Compulsory Military Training.

CHRONOLOGICAL TABLE—AUSTRALIA— *continued.*

- 1912—Commonwealth Bank opened. First Payments Maternity Bonus. First sod turned Port Augusta-Kalgoorlie Railway line.
- 1913—H.M.A.Ss. *Australia*, *Sydney*, and *Melbourne* arrive. Foundation stone laid, Canberra.
- 1914—European War. Australian Forces embark. *Sydney* destroyed *Emden*. Double dissolution of Parliament.
- 1915—Broken Hill Pty.'s Iron Works Newcastle. Landing, Gallipoli, 25th April. War Census.
- 1916—Aus. troops transferred to France. Compulsory Military Service Referendum defeated.
- 1917—Transcontinental Railway completed. Military Service (Reinforcements) Referendum defeated.
- 1918—Population of Australia reached 5,000,000. Cruiser *Adelaide* launched at Sydney.
- 1919—Peace signed, 28th June. Sir Ross Smith and Sir Keith Smith completed first aeroplane flight from London.
- 1920—Visit of Prince of Wales.
- 1921—Second Commonwealth Census.

CHRONOLOGICAL TABLE—AUSTRALIA— *continued.*

- 1922—Economic Conference at Sydney. First lock on River Murray opened at Blanchetown, South Australia.
- 1923—First sod, site of Parliament House, Canberra, turned. Pan-Pacific Science Congress, Melbourne.
- 1924—Visit of British Cruiser Squadron. First sale of land leases at Canberra.
- 1925—Visit of American Fleet. Commonwealth Solar Observatory established. Brisbane-Kyogle railway commenced. Bridge over Sydney Harbour commenced. Population of Australia reached 6,000,000.
- 1926—Referendum; Industry and Commerce; Widening State Powers; proposals rejected. North-West Australia Commission established.
- 1927—Beam Wireless established. Visit of H.R.H. the Duke and Duchess of York, and opening of Commonwealth Parliament at Canberra; transfer of Departments to Canberra begun. Sydney Mint closed.
- 1928—Visit of the British Economic Mission to report on the development of Australian resources. Empire Forestry Conference held in Australia. Financial agreement between Commonwealth and States adopted by referendum; State debts taken over by Commonwealth; Loan Council formally constituted.

CHRONOLOGICAL TABLE—AUSTRALIA— *continued.*

- 1929—Disastrous floods in Tasmania. Timber Workers' Strike and Northern Coalfields Lock-out. Perth centenary celebrations. Abolition of compulsory military training in favour of voluntary system.
- 1930—Wireless phone service with other countries inaugurated. Commonwealth Sales tax and primage duty on imports introduced. Visit of Sir Otto Niemeyer to Australia to discuss financial questions. First Australian—Right Hon. Sir Isaac Alfred Isaacs, Chief Justice of the High Court—appointed Governor-General. Telephone trunk line established between Adelaide and Perth.
- 1931—Sterling exchange at 130 from January to December; thence at 125. Reduction of 10 per cent. in wage rates by Commonwealth Arbitration Court, in addition to the "automatic" adjustments to falling prices. First experimental air mail from England to Australia and return. Initiation of Premiers' Conference plan to meet the financial situation, i.e., by—(a) reduction of 20 per cent. in all adjustable Government expenditure; (b) conversion of internal debts of Governments on the basis of a $22\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. reduction of interest (of the total of £558 millions over 97 per cent. converted voluntarily); (c) additional taxation; (d) reduction of bank and Savings Bank interest rates; and (e) relief in respect of private mortgages. New reciprocal trade treaty with Canada. Bounty on wheat. Death of Sir John Monash.

CHRONOLOGICAL TABLE—AUSTRALIA—*continued.*

1932—Sydney Harbour Bridge opened. Imperial Economic Conference at Ottawa in July. Australian Broadcasting Commission established. Shipping of Gold to the United Kingdom. Strike in Textile Industry.

1933—Third Commonwealth Census. Imperial Air-mail "Astraea" arrived. Secession Referendum (Western Australia). New Guinea Legislative Council opened. Disarmament Conference in London. Record wheat harvest 1932-33 of 214 million bushels. Antarctica taken over by Commonwealth.

1934—Goodwill Mission to the East—Leader, Right Hon. J. G. Latham. Deaths of Sir Robert Gibson and Sir Edgeworth David. Melbourne centenary celebrations. Visit of H. R.H. the Duke of Gloucester. Record flight from England to Australia by Messrs. Scott and Black (Centenary Air Race) in 71 hours. Inauguration of England—Australia Air Mail Service.

1935—Silver Jubilee of His Majesty the King. Visit to London for Jubilee Celebrations of the Rt. Hon. J. A. Lyons, Prime Minister. Empire Statistical Conference at Ottawa. Japanese Goodwill Mission to Australia. Meeting of the British Medical Association for the first time in Australia.

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Mon.	..	5	12	19	26	2	9	16	23	30	7	14	21	28
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Wed.	..	7	14	21	28	4	11	18	25	2	9	16	23	30
Thu.	1	8	15	22	29	5	12	19	26	3	10	17	24	31
Fri.	2	9	16	23	30	6	13	20	27	4	11	18	25	..
Sat.	3	10	17	24	31	7	14	21	28	5	12	19	26	..

PRINCIPAL POSTAGE RATES.

Within the Commonwealth and to Lord Howe Island, Norfolk Island, Papua, the Territory of New Guinea [including Bismarck Archipelago (New Britain, New Ireland, New Hanover, Admiralty Island, &c.), Bougainville, and Buka (Solomon Islands)] and Nauru.

Letters and Lettercards.—2d. per oz. *Postcards.*—1½d. each. *Second Class Mail Matter.*—(a) Commercial Papers; Patterns; Samples; and Merchandise—1d. per 2 oz. (b) Printed Matter (comprising Printed Papers, Circulars and Catalogues, and Books, Periodicals and Newspapers not registered at a General Post Office)—1d. per 4 oz. *Third Class Mail Matter* (comprising Books, Periodicals and Newspapers registered at a General Post Office for transmission as such).—1d. per 6 oz. *Parcels* (up to 11 lb.).—Within 30 miles of office of posting—1 lb. 6d., 2 lb. 9d., 3 lb. 1s., 5 lb. 1s. 3d., 8 lb. 1s. 6d., 11 lb. 1s. 9d.; elsewhere within State of posting—1 lb. 9d., 2 lb. 1s., 3 lb. 1s. 3d., 5 lb. 1s. 6d., 8 lb. 2s., 11 lb. 2s. 9d.; for places in other States see *Post Office Guide*.

Beyond the Commonwealth.

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PRINCIPAL POSTAGE RATES—*continued.*

Beyond the Commonwealth—*continued.*

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